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SCHOOL NOTES

(Edited by X, Y, Z.)

"Cultivated mind is the guardian genius of democracy. It is the only dictator that freemen acknowledge and the only security that freemen desire."—Mirabeau B. Lamar.

A girls' Camp Fire organization has been started by Miss H. Parr and Miss Loomis. There are four groups each under one of the following guardians. Miss Woodward, Miss Loomis, Miss Parr and Miss Johnson. The instruction books are not here so regular meetings can not be held.

Miss Joseph has opened the social season of Grayling High by entertaining the teachers Tuesday evening.

The 7 B's had a History test the other day. One student stated the amazing facts that Columbus sailed in 1492 and discovered America in 1912. Another stated that Columbus sailed for the Indies and landed in new water.

Much anxiety has been aroused by the introduction of Current Events in the History department this week.

Lost—A Physical Training Manual—Miss Johnson.

Emerson Brown, a noted French

student has introduced Danish into the French language.

A few girls and teachers helped Mildred Bates to celebrate her birthday a few nights ago, by having a surprise party at her home. The jazzophone and the cat furnished the main amusement.

Twenty math students are looking for the man who named Geometry "Plane." (plain.)

A Girl Scout organization has been formed with Miss Margaret Joseph as Captain.

A little bird overheard Miss Hoyt tell of an incident which happened when she used to "play school." Her sister was older than she, and was heard (by Miss Hoyt) to say: "I can't get those originals!" (referring to Geom.) The next day, when at her youthful play, Miss Hoyt was heard to say: "I can't get those originals in holes, teacher!"

A cat may have nine lives, but it's just as wonderful that a frog croaks every minute.

Jennie Karpus leaves Saturday. She will attend school in Bay City.

The Geometry II class have

OFFICERS RAID FREDERIC STILL

SHERIFF AND STATE POLICE
CAPTURE STILL AND MASH
AND LODGE OFFENDERS
IN JAIL.

Tuesday night Sheriff Richardson aided by members of the State police raided a whiskey still a short distance west of Frederic and arrested Wm. St. Clair, age about 45 years, and Kid Sullivan, age about 18 years and lodged them in the county jail at Grayling. They also confiscated the still and supplies.

There was a quantity of whiskey and two large barrels of whiskey mash. This latter was too heavy to take so was dumped out onto the ground.

The men were taken Wednesday to Bay City for trial in Federal court.

been solving some rather interesting riddles this week. They can plant 19 trees in 9 rows with 5 trees to each row. Can you?

If there are twenty-one ears of corn in a hollow stump, how many days would it take for a rabbit to carry all the ears out, at the rate of three ears a day. The answer is twenty-one, not seven.

Miss Hoyt (in U. S. History)—"What makes people unite?" Jack—"Love."

"Among the memorable dates in history," wrote a boy, "was Anthony's date with Cleopatra."

The Physical Training classes will soon begin a campaign for shower-bath apparatus.

Teacher: "Benignant means kind. Use it in a sentence."
Pupil: "What benignant of an apple is this?"

Kindergarten—Miss Giegling. The kindergarten was so large that it had to be divided. Half of the pupils now come in the morning, the others in the afternoon. Five new names were added to the list this week.

Fifth Grade—Miss Nolan. Change in Human Nature. Five boys wished to stay until 5 o'clock, so that they could laugh. It wasn't raining out, either.

NOTICE.

In reply to inquiries made at this office, relative to the deer season for this year, I have received a communication from the State Game, Fish and Forestry department, which reads as follows:

"Under an order approved by the Public Domain Commission there will be but a ten days' open season on deer this fall, the open dates extending from November 13th to 22nd inclusive. This applies to the entire State. All of the counties closed at this time will be open to ten days' hunting this fall."

This office will be open Saturday evening, Nov. 13th, until 8:00 for the purpose of issuing deer licenses to those who are unable to apply during regular office hours.

Frank Sales, County Clerk. 9-23-3.

STOLEN APPAREL FOUND IN LEWISTON

M. HANSON AND E. W. BEHLKE
RESIDENCE SEEM VIC-
TIMS OF ALFORDS.

Principals and Sheriff Find Mrs. Alford Wearing Stolen Finery.

Several weeks ago someone had broken into the homes of M. Hanson and E. W. Behlke and stolen considerable wearing apparel. The officers had been on the lookout to find the thieves, but it was not until last week when Walter Alford of Lewiston was arrested for robbing homes and a store in Lewiston that suspicion was had that he might have been the perpetrator of the deeds here in Grayling.

Sheriff Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Behlke drove to Lewiston and there at the Alford home found some of the things they had missed. Alford and his wife, the latter who was formerly Miss Fannie Hitchcock of this city, were in jail at Atlanta so the parties drove to that place. Mrs. Hitchcock was found wearing a sweater belonging to Miss Lucile Hanson and an under skirt and string of pearl beads belonging to Mrs. Hanson. In the suit cases and their cells other articles were found belonging to the Hansons and also Behlkes.

Trial has been set for the Alford to be held some time next week. The evidence against them seems so strong that it is quite likely that they will both be convicted for burglary. Alford was arrested in Bay City last week after an exciting chase belonging to Mrs. Hanson, a banker and merchant of Lewiston, who was also a victim of the Alford's, was one of the main pursuers.

LOWER PRICES OF FORD PRODUCTS

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Henry Ford says "There is no sense or wisdom in trying to maintain an artificial standard of values. For the best interest of all it is time real practical effort was made to bring the business of the country down to regular pre-war standard."

George Burke of this city is the dealer for Crawford County. He says that he is ready to do business at the new prices.

SHORTAGE OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS.

The following communication has been submitted for publication by county commissioner of schools, Miss Hoyt:

"The teacher shortage remains a menace to the public schools according to preliminary reports made public today by the National Education association. Replies to questionnaires sent out by the association have come from all sections of the United States. These reports show that in places where teachers' salaries have been increased one hundred per cent or more the situation is nearly always satisfactory. But such places are comparatively few, and in localities where salaries have been increased fifty per cent or less the teacher shortage is commonly greater than a year ago. Rural communities are hardest hit. Signed reports from superintendents of many counties indicate that a third of rural schools cannot open for want of teachers. Tens of thousands of schools will be in charge of teachers who have had no professional preparation and whose academic training barely exceeds that of the children they teach.

"Relief from this serious situation, which imperils the stability of American rural life, will be sought from the next session of Congress. Renewed efforts will be made to obtain the passage of the Smith-Towner bill, which creates a department of education with a secretary in the President's cabinet and provides federal aid of \$100,000,000 for education."

PLANKED REGULAR ROLL.

2 1/2 pounds regular roll. Place the meat upon a well seasoned plank. Grease board well with butter or butter substitute. Place beneath broiler and broil for 2 hours, basting frequently with butter or butter substitute. Remove from broiler and finish roasting in moderate oven.

To Garnish: Around edge of plank place border of Duchess potatoes. Duchess potatoes are mashed potatoes to which an egg yolk has been added. This mixture is forced through a pastry bag, forming rosettes around the roll. Garnish with canned peas and canned asparagus tips. Serve on plank.

FOR SALE.

Five room house located on Chestnut St. near hospital. Inquire of Ras. Jorgenson, administrator. 9-9-4

TURNER'S BODY FOUND IN RIVER

CLEAR LIGHT ON DISAPPEARANCE OF SOUTH BRANCH YOUTH.

The body of Gordon Turner who mysteriously disappeared from his home in South Branch township about three weeks ago, was found in the South Branch of the AuSable river about one mile above Chase bridge by Frank Golnick.

Young Turner had borrow a shot gun saying that he intended to kill some cats, and that day his parents heard a gun shot, the sound coming from the barn. It was not for several hours later that search was made for the young man but he was nowhere to be found. The gun was lying on the barn floor, blood stains were on the side of the barn and on a ladder but Turner was nowhere to be found.

For four days searching parties hunted for him or his body but were unable to find clues that might reveal his whereabouts. Fully 80 people took part in the hunt which was finally given up. There were many ideas as to what had become of Turner. Even foul play was suspected.

Tuesday morning while hunting ducks from a boat in the AuSable river Frank Golnick discovered the dead body of the young man, lodged against a sweeper in the river about a half mile above Chase bridge. Sheriff Richardson was summoned from Grayling who with the assistance of Mr. Golnick rescued the body and took it to Roscommon. The body was found face down in the water. A rope was fastened about the body and floated about a half mile down the river before they reached a landing place. Here a canvass was held down into the water and the body floated over it when it was wrapped and taken to town.

A coroner's inquest was held and a verdict of suicide was given out. Upon examination of the body it was found that the young man had shot himself across his left breast, tearing it wide open. If this condition he had staggered to the river, which at the nearest point was not less than 1/4 of a mile away, and evidently thrown himself in. Dr. Curndalia of Roscommon, who examined the body said that his gun-shot wounds were not serious enough to cause death and that he was sure he had died from drowning. Justice Emil Kraus of this city was a member of the coroner's jury.

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The Man Who Wasn't Himself

By ROBERT AMES BENNET

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CHAPTER XIV—Continued.

"Doctor!" cried the girl. "You've come to tell us he has been found!"

"Sorry, sweetheart—not yet. But he has been seen. We went out to City Park and—"

"We traced him to an inbound car," broke in Mrs. Kirkland. "We thought—"

"—Thought he might have come home," her husband completed the sentence.

"You're sure he hasn't, my dear?" breathlessly questioned the lady.

"Will—home?" exclaimed Amy.

"Why, Ellen and I have been right in the telephone ever since Charlie rushed out to go to City Park—No, no, no, upstairs! She's back here—"

"Come into the library. You both look hot. I'll have Tillie bring lemonade."

Amy, who was nearest the parlor, heard a step behind her and glanced over her shoulder. "Oh!" she cried.

"Why did you come down?—Goodness! you're pale!—that look!—"

"Yvette!" screamed Ellen. Amy was recoiling, but the other girl advanced toward the dazed young man in the doorway, her arms imploringly outstretched.

"Dearest! forgive me—please, please forgive me! I was cruel, but I did not realize—Forgive me and give me your ring again, dearest!"

"My God!" groaned the young man. He put his hand to his head. "It is all coming back again! That hallucination upstairs—now this!"

"His—his voice too!" gasped Amy.

"It is because he is—is insane?"

"Nonsense!" boomed Dr. Kirkland. "He looks rational—only dazed. He has shivered."

"Ah! that is it!" agreed Mrs. Kirkland. "That accounts for—"

"That and the terrible strain of the night—and this change of clothes which he managed to get hold of."

He turned his husband. "My dear boy, why do you look at us that way? Have no fear. I admit my mistake. You need not return to the sanitarium. Had I known how it would affect you—"

The young man's face relaxed a line. "Not return, doctor? You really think it unnecessary?"

"Quite! quite! Never fear. You shall stay quietly at home, if I have to mortgage my house to secure your bail."

"My bail?" ejaculated the young man. "Surely the bank has not charged me with—"

"Have you forgotten that already?" pitifully broke in Ellen. "Dearest, can it be you have forgotten me too?"

"Forget you, darling?" he protested. "Never!" Shaking off his enervating daze, he sprang to her with ardent eagerness and caught her to him in an impassioned embrace. "Ellen! darling! Ellen!" he cried. "To have you again after all these months! You are no hallucination—you are real! I feel your arms about my neck; your heart beats against mine!"

"Will, Will! my Will!" she ecstatically babbled. "You, yourself—yourself! You've come back to me, your own real self!"

"To be sure—to be sure," affirmed her father. "This complete change of expression, manner, intonation—absolute proof of full restoration to his true personality."

"O-o-o-h! Is that it?" sighed Amy, but she continued to gaze at her restored brother with brows peaked and a troubled look in her brown eyes.

She burst into tears and ran to fling herself on the shoulder generously left free for her by Ellen. He met her with an affectionate kiss.

"There! This is better, isn't it?" he asked, squeezing her with the arm that was not about Ellen and putting her vigorously on the back.

"Y-yes," she penitently agreed. "Of course you and Ellen—I'd never have believed I could be such a selfish pig!"

He laughed at the absurdity of the confession. "What? You funny little Toodlums. Who was so anxious last year for me to be the lucky man?"

He kissed the blushing forehead of his blissfully happy fiancée.

"I don't care," Amy sought to defend herself. "You've been jealous of Charlie. You know you have."

He frowned. "You've not encouraged that fellow! I warned him."

"Don't worry," she interrupted. "Ellen has settled him."

"Ellen?" he queried.

"My dear boy!" interposed Mrs. Kirkland. "You are still leaving us out."

"Never!" he gaily rejoined. "It's only that I've already got my arms full. If I had a third arm—and an extra hand to grip Doctor's!"

He beamed back at them; but suddenly turned to cast an inquiring look around him, and demand: "But where's Momsey?"

"Why, you're still muddled," remarked Amy. "Don't you remember?"

His face twitched with apprehension. "Remember what? They refused to give me any letters! I've not heard a word all these fearful months! What is it? Has Momsey—"

"No, no, dearest," Ellen reassured him. "She is all right."

"Then why isn't she here?"

"But she has not yet returned from the Springs," replied Mrs. Kirkland. "She is down at the Springs!"

"Don't you remember?"

"My dear," said the physician, "you and the girls forget that he knows nothing of what has happened to his own personality, nothing whatever."

"Other personality?" sharply queried the young man. "What do you mean, Doctor?"

"Keep calm, my boy. It is a not unusual occurrence—nothing to worry about—a condition easily curable

with proper treatment. You may find it difficult to believe, but ever since we met you at the station—"

"Met me? I didn't see you. I—"

"In your other personality," explained the physician.

"And took you home to dine with us," added his wife.

"You didn't remember even me," reproached Ellen.

"Nor me, when doctor brought you home," chimed in Amy.

He stared at Doctor Kirkland in consternation. "Heavens! more delusions, when I was so sure!"

"Now, now, my boy; there is nothing serious about your condition," replied the physician. "It is only that—"

"More delusions!" muttered the frightened young man. "It's all a daze—a dream—ever since I gave that attendant the slip—"

"chance," sleeper, daydream—a blurred jumble. Yet it seems—yes, I did take the Park Hill car. Then the park; then—"

"that's all dark—nothing till I was lying there in the old brick yard pit, the blood trickling down my face, but my head clear—"

"Oh! you fell! you hurt your head!" cried Ellen. "Let us see! Papa, look at it!"

"But it's nothing, nothing at all, darling," replied her lover. "Or rather, it's everything—the luckiest bump that ever happened. I don't know, but it must have jarred loose something in my brain. Ever since I came to, my head has been as clear as crystal. The very first moment I recognized the pit as the place in which—"

"Bump! shock!" boomed Doctor Kirkland. "Proves my diagnosis; functional lesion, or possibly a blood clot—physical shock—My boy, you're all right now—nothing to fear. All that is past—your amnesia, dissociation, this secondary personality that has caused you to fail to recognize us all these days."

"But I have not failed to recognize you. I knew you all at once."

"Why, Will," replied Amy. "Don't you really remember? You've been with us ever since two evenings before last."

At the statement his face became vivid with renewed alarm and consternation. He thrust the girl from him, to grope desperately inside his waistcoat. The others stared appalled.

"Quick! Is it hallucination? Tell me."

heavily at these signs of frenzy. From his bosom he jerked out a large bulging earth-stained envelope and waved it frantically at Doctor Kirkland.

"Look! look!" he panted. "Quick! Is it hallucination? Tell me!"

The physician seized and ripped open the envelope. "Hey? what?" he exclaimed. "Honds. . . The bonds!"

"A-ah!—Then they are real—"

"real as you, darling Ellen!"

The girl met the eager lips that bent down to her upturned face. "Yes, yes, dearest," she whispered. "Now you're your real self—all is real!"

The physician's lips were moving in rapid count of the bonds. His voice became audible: "—seven, eight, nine, ten—ten! . . . everyone for ten thousand!" His voice boomed joyously: "One hundred thousand! All there! the full amount! not one lost!"

"Thank Heaven!" cried the young man. "That saves me! . . . All those months, those dreary awful months—worry, worry, worry; groping, trying to remember. Yet it was there, the memory, down under. I knew it was there. It was that which compelled me to keep trying to escape from them—time after time. And when at last I did, it led me in that half-blind daze all the way home—it led me to the pit."

"The pit?" questioned Mrs. Kirkland.

"In the abandoned brickyard beyond City Park. . . The moment I came to, and looked around, I recognized the place. I went straight to the hole where I had hidden the bonds."

"You hid them out there?" exclaimed Ellen.

"Yes. All flashed back into my mind—all about that day when Bemm brought me down from Fueblo—the fear that drove me half insane when he flippantly suggested that we might get away with the bonds by smashing and setting fire to the car and pretending the bonds were burned up in the wreck."

"He did that? Charlie did that?" cried Amy. "But he is a detective!"

"Yes, I found that out afterwards, Toodlums. I suppose he was trying to test my integrity. I can't believe worse of him. But I was then in a bad way, and what he suggested completely unbalanced me. I was certain he meant to steal the bonds from me. I must have been half insane. To save them from him, I rented a safe deposit box and pretended to him that I had put them in it; but instead I went out past City Park and wandered about until I found the hiding place in the clay pit."

"So that was it," remarked Amy. He did not reply. He was engrossed in gazing into Ellen's tender gray eyes. The fond parents beamed upon the blissful couple. Amy sighed and stole out of the room, unheeded by the others.

Ellen snuggled closer to her lover. "You fell into the pit," she recalled the mishap. "Your poor dear head!"

"Only a little cut," he reassured her. "I wiped the blood off my face, and hurried home with the bonds to see Momsey and Amy before rushing down to the bank. I did not wish to see you until I could tell you I had restored the bonds. There was no one in the front of the house; so I went direct to the bathroom. I washed my head and started in to my room—Who is the man visiting here?"

"Visiting here?" repeated Mrs. Kirkland. "What made you think that? There has been no man staying here except yourself, Will."

"No one!" he cried. "You say no one? Then I'm not cured!—it was an hallucination!"

"Here, here, keep quiet! This won't do," ordered Doctor Kirkland. "What was it? Explain."

The young man sought to repress his shuddering. "I—when I—when I opened the passage door there was a—something across at the mirror—it—"

"Pooh!" ridiculed the physician. "Your own reflection."

"Then why—why was it's back to me?"

"It's back!" quavered Ellen. "Oh, Will!"

"Pooh! pooh! Nothing to it, my boy," insisted the physician. "Merely a freak of vision. Think no more about it. Amy—What! Where is Amy?"

"Indeed, where?" murmured Mrs. Kirkland, gazing about the room. "She has gone out. . . Perhaps she has gone to call Tillie. Would it not be well to telephone the good news that Will is safe home?"

"Yes, yes, to be sure—police, bank, sanitarium—all!" shouted her husband, and he rushed out to the telephone.

"They'll come here, dearest," whispered Ellen. "You shall not leave me!"

"How could I?" he rapturously replied.

Mrs. Kirkland sank into a chair to dab her tearful eyes and smile upon the lovers.

CHAPTER XV.

The Man Himself.

Pensive and depressed, Amy went out through the side door and around into her garden. He had not looked at her—all his loving glances had been for Ellen.

So lost was she in the despondency of her mood that she failed to heed the hurried footsteps in the path behind her until they were very close.

Vexed at the intrusion, she started to move forward across a small opening. From behind her came a low, vibrant call: "Amy!"

She stopped, trembling. It was his voice—yet so different. That deep, ardent note!—his voice as he had spoken to her in the night. Bewildered, quivering with mingled joy and fear, she timidly looked about. He stood before her transfixed, no longer pale and haggard, but as he had been until there in the library—erect, ruddy-cheeked, and in his eyes that look!

Swiftly the girl's expression changed from bewilderment to perplexity, from perplexity to hysterical alarm and anger.

"You! What—what do you mean?" she screamed.

Before he could realize what she was about she had darted at him and plucked frantically at his mustache.

"Jove!" he ejaculated, and he clapped his hand to his lip.

"Oh! oh! oh!" she panted, shrinking away from him, her dilating eyes fixed in a horrified stare upon the few stiff hairs in her clutched fingers. "It's real! Oh!"

"My word! I should say it is!" he mumbled, pressing hard on his lip.

"But—but how then—oh, dear! oh dear! Take me in to doctor! I must be crazy! You had it; then you didn't have it; now you do have it!"

"Have it?"

"Your mustache! I thought you had shaved. It was gone—I'm sure it was gone—yet now—"

"Gone. When?"

"In there—in the library—not five minutes ago! Oh, dear! I must be raving crazy! It wasn't there then—you've grown it again in five minutes!"

He stared at her wildly, infected with the terror in her look and voice. "Insane—insane! That face in the mirror! She, too, had seen it!"

They glared at one another, over-coming with dread and horror.

"I say," remarked a voice behind him.

He wheeled about and found himself looking into the muzzle of an automatic pistol in the hand of Bemm.

"Caught you napping, eh?" jeered the detective. "I learned that Kirkland was tracing in this direction. I did not rush up to the front door. Quietly slipped in from the rear."

"I know," said Amy. "But he is a detective!"

"No; a bargain sale in cradles."

clever, I call it. No wonder you look flabbergasted."

In a flash Amy flung herself between the two. "Don't you shoot him! Don't you dare!" she cried.

Hastily he lowered the pistol and sought to explain: "I had no intention, none whatever—only in self-defense. Can't you understand? If he is violent—attempts to resist—But if you persuade him to submit—I am sorry to have to use handcuffs."

"Handcuffs? Oh, shame! shame on you!—pretending to be his friend all this time! Shame on you!"

Bemm bit his lip. His bright, shrewd eyes deepened and darkened with profound emotion. But he stood firm.

"I made no pretense," he rejoined. "I offered to prove myself his friend. I stood ready to save him, even at the cost of my professional honor."

"Your professional honor!" she reproached.

"He is your brother. I thought you would understand. I am willing to give a great deal to clear him, if you will—er—accept my—"

"But if I cannot?"

"Then I shall do my duty. Do you take me for a fool, to connive at the escape of an embezzler, unless you are considerate enough to—"

"Oh, you won't—you can't! Surely you'll not be so mean!"

"I can send him to the penitentiary. What's more, I will, unless—"

"No-no! do not!" cried the agonized girl. "Let him go, please let him go! I will do what—what you wish!"

"You will? You will marry me?" he demanded, and he stepped forward in eager elation.

She shrunk back with her hands over her averted face. The prisoner slipped a protective arm about her shoulders and quietly remarked to Bemm: "Better step aside if you are nervous. You might accidentally discharge your pistol. There are people coming along the path behind you."

Suspicious of a ruse, Bemm edged around to the side of the opening and glanced swiftly over his shoulder. A few feet away two dark, hairy men were visible over the shrubs, moving down the twisting path.

"Here they are. Hurry up," boomed the voice of Doctor Kirkland.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

PICTURESQUE IN ITS INERTIA

Town of Cajamarca, in Andes Mountains. Inhabited by People Seemingly Without Ambition.

The town of Cajamarca, nestled among the Andes mountains, is perhaps the most unambitious community in the world, according to Harry A. Franck, who writes in the Wide World Magazine.

Cajamarca is very old, he says. The Spaniards found it when they conquered the country centuries ago, but nothing of the old Inca civilization remains, and the oldest buildings are the churches that the conquerors erected. Today, says Mr. Franck, the churches stand architecturally incomplete, not because time has demolished them but because, according to local tradition, a finished structure in colonial days had to pay tribute to the government, and so the builders economized by stopping work before the churches were finished.

It is a town where the upper class is distinguished by wearing collars and shoes and performing no manual labor, where the "lower class" is ragged and poverty-stricken, and where life goes on from year to year in a state of inertia which nobody seems to find undesirable. The unfinished churches give the old town a picturesque aspect, being built of stone and colored by the passage of time until they remind a traveler of the ancient Spanish edifices of Salamanca; nor is there any present likelihood that the town will grow rich enough to spoil their picturesque incompleteness by finishing them.

And not in a century, says the latest visitor from the outside world, has there been born in that town a "boy with the initiative and energy to tramp three days over the western range, and stow away for some place where he could make a man of himself."

Kinds of Stage Humor.

The French, who have an armory of critical terms both more exact and more abundant than ours, distinguish between three different kinds of stage humor. Brander Matthews writes in Munsey's. There is, first of all, the mere witicism, the sentence laughable in itself, the so-called "epigram"; and this they term the "mot d'esprit."

Second, there is the phrase which derives its comic effect not from itself, but from its utterance at a given moment in the movement of the story; and this they term the "mot d'esprit."

Thirdly, there is the word or sentence whereby a character expresses himself unexpectedly and characteristically, unconsciously turning the flashlight on the unexplored recesses of his own soul; and they are wont to call this the "mot de caractere."

Counterfeit Reason.

"Yes, I still have the first five dollar note that I made," said the gray-haired passenger.

"Good gracious!" exclaimed his traveling acquaintance, "how did you keep it so long?"

"Well, it was very imperfect, being my first, and I'd have had trouble in passing it."

Startling News.

"I know a place in town where a number of kidnappers were lately rounded up."

"Police headquarters?"

"No; a bargain sale in cradles."

DAIRY POINTS

HOME SUPPLIES FROM FARM

Measured in Money Value Dairy Products Constitute Most Important Group of Foods.

Dairy products constitute the most important group of foods measured in money value, consumed by the average farm family. Milk cows are kept on practically all farms. The average farm family uses annually about 2,600 quarts of milk in the form of milk, butter, cheese or cream.

In dairy regions where milk is shipped or sold to creameries or cheese



It Pays to Treat the Cow and Her Offspring Well.

factories, practically all the butter and cheese used is bought instead of made on the farm, says the United States department of agriculture. Very few farmers buy whole milk. About four-fifths of the dairy products consumed by farmers are produced on the home farm.

In the South dairy products are used very freely. The common practice is to churn the whole milk for butter, producing a large quantity of buttermilk. The average annual consumption of butter per family is about 230 pounds in the South while for families in the North and West it is less than 150 pounds. It is not unusual for the average-sized family in the South to consume 2,000 quarts of buttermilk a year. Buttermilk is a cooling and healthful drink for that climate.

Drugs Injure Dairy Cattle

Iowa State College Experiments Show Decrease Rather Than Increase in Fat Production.

The use of drugs with the idea of increasing the fat production of test cows has been tried out by Iowa State College dairy section. In most cases it was found that drugs decreased rather than increased the fat production.

Such drugs as alcohol, castor oil, pluitrin, aloes, magnesium sulphate, nux vomica and sodium chloride were tried and in all cases they were detrimental to the cows. All cows used were in good normal condition at the start of the tests and various sizes of doses were used.

In some cases it was found that the flow of milk and butterfat was increased slightly but this soon fell off and in the end a decrease was noticed.

Up to date no drug has been found that will increase and it is strongly advised by the dairy men not to resort to this method as it injures the cows and is not a fair way to gain a record.

WHEN MILK TEST IS HIGHEST

Faculty of Milking Off Fat Is Used in Pushing Cows for Short-Time Records.

In pushing cows for short-time records, this faculty of milking off the fat is used; that is, the cow is allowed to freshen in very fat condition and will test very high when her record is being made two or four weeks after freshening. There have been cases where cows have tested from two to three per cent higher during this period than the normal test for her discloses and this test would be much higher than during the last part of her lactation.

MILK-CREAM WEIGHTS

Skim milk weighs 8.63 pounds a gallon.

The foregoing figures were based on milk with a fat content of 2 1/2 per cent at 68 degrees temperature. Similar milk testing 3 per cent weighs 8.6 pounds.

Mixed milk and cream of 10 per cent butterfat content weighs 8.53 pounds.

The general rule is to estimate milk testing from 3 to 5 per cent as weighing 8.6 pounds a gallon.

RAISE PRODUCTION OF HERD

Permanent Advancement Can Only Be Made by Use of Purebred Bull of Good Ancestry.

The only way for everyone to have cows capable of producing a large flow of milk is by better breeding. By better breeding is meant the using of a purebred dairy bull which is a good individual from good producing ancestor. It is only through the use of a good bull that any permanent advancement can be made in the production of the future herd.

Where Bacteria Get In.

Bacteria get into the milk from utensils, from the body of the cow, the body of the milker and the atmosphere or air.

Jacket Cans of Milk.

It pays to jacket cans of milk in transit. A half-quart blanket is best, but a wet burlap wrapper will do.

Overlooked by Dairyman.

The possibilities of soy-bean meal and pea-meal have not had proper consideration by dairyman.

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"That will be all right, Gladys," replied George, "you can continue wanting it after we are married."

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WOULD "CLEAN UP" POLITICS

Massachusetts High School Girl Chooses Important Topic to Win Essay Contest.

An appeal to the American Legion to "clean up" politics is contained in the essay of a high school girl which recently was awarded a prize in the Southerville (Mass.) post's competition for the best article on "What Service Can the American Legion Render to the United States?" Miss Eleanor Randall, the winner, makes this suggestion:

"When politics means graft, corruption, and the attainment of selfish ends, then is our government debased. It is the duty of the American Legion to change this interpretation of 'politics,' being careful meanwhile that the game is not played within the limits of the organization itself. It must oust the graft, wipe away the corruption, and teach that the welfare of the government should be first and foremost in the mind of every true American. These boys who fought in the mud of France must not allow the mud of corrupt politics to cling about this great nation. As fearlessly as they fought in France, in spite of disagreeable conditions, they must clear away the mire and show us to the world as we really are at heart—a big-minded, idealistic people."

"Thousands of foreigners coming to our shores each year discover," Miss Randall continues, "that the 'streets of gold' of America are covered by the mud of the slums and that their 'homes of happiness' are squalid dens in the tenement district."

"Should it not be the members of the American Legion who should help the immigrant who has come to our shores?" she asks. "The United States has been rightfully called the 'melting pot' of all nations. After the melting of all nations, the men who fought for the democracy of the world are the ones best fitted for the task. They are the best guardians of those who hardly know what democracy means. Let them help the immigrant to understand and the down-trodden to rise and when this task is finished they will have rendered to their nation the greatest service in the history of the world."

GETS OUT LEGION BULLETINS

Miss Irene Harvan Who Prepares Orders for Circulation Among Posts and Members.

There is one young lady who takes it upon herself to get out all the bulletins and circulars from national headquarters that reach 9,000 posts and 2,000,000 members of the American Legion.



Miss Irene Harvan.

Legion. This is Miss Irene Harvan, who transcribes and mimeographs such material after it has been approved by Lemuel Bolles, the national adjutant.

TO REMAIN AT SARANAC LAKE

Wishes of Two Hundred Tubercular Patients at Sanitarium Are to Be Complied With.

Two hundred former service men, tubercular patients at Saranac Lake, will remain in the sanitarium there according to their wishes and will not be transferred to other government institutions as originally ordered, as the result of decisive action by the American Legion.

An instant protest was registered by the ailing veterans when the order for their transfer came and Richard T. Bell, chief of the service division of the New York state department, who had visited the men at Saranac a short while before, took up their case with the United States public health service. At the same time John T. Taylor, chairman of the national legislative committee of the American Legion, took similar action and the transfer order was rescinded.

Information at Fair.

Stands where service men may obtain information concerning war risk insurance, compensation and other problems and at which an endeavor will be made to obtain new members for the American Legion will be opened at a number of state and county fairs in various sections of the country. Among the posts that will adopt this plan are Lorenz post of Mankato, Minn.; Charles E. Price post of Carthage, Tenn.; and Thayers Walters post of Colome, S. D.

MEDALS AWAIT SERVICE MEN

Emblems for All Who Served in World War Ready for Distribution on Armistice Day.

Nearly 5,000,000 Victory medals turned out by a lengthy and involved process of manufacture, now are awaiting former service men. Thousands of these medals will be presented to veterans on Armistice day by posts of the American Legion, which have arranged elaborate ceremonies in honor of the occasion. The medal was designed by James Earl Frazer.

Phases never before met with in medal production were met with by the contractors in the making of the decorations with their ribbons, battle clasps and bars, and to handle certain steps in the process of manufacture new machines were invented. One of these was a ribbon-cutting machine which turned out 90 pieces a minute and in the course of a day did a quantity of work equal to the labors of 15 people.

A striking machine with a force of 175 tons a blow was used on the medals after the disks had been annealed following which there came the application of a hydraulic pressure of 120 pounds. An automatic sand blast and an aluminized bath also were utilized before putting the final lacquer on the medal.

Not only Legionnaires but many other ex-service men will take part in the Armistice day celebrations in all sections of the country and will receive their medals with formal observance of their significance.

MANAGER OF LEGION WEEKLY

C. Robert Bains, Business Chief of Publication, Began Life as a Cub Reporter.

In the American Legion, which is essentially a young men's organization, few men have climbed the heights of responsibility faster and higher than C. Robert Bains, recently elected general manager of the Legion's official publication, the American Legion Weekly.



C. ROBERT BAINS.

Bains first began to take life seriously as a cub reporter in his native Brooklyn fourteen years ago. He drifted into the newspaper advertising field and followed it until 1916, when he went to the Mexican border with the National Guard mobilization.

Bains began army life skinning mules as a buck private in the old Second New York field artillery. Except for a brief tour with the Twelfth infantry on the border, he stuck to the field guns and passed successively through every grade in the enlisted and commissioned ranks to that of major. He went overseas with the Three Hundred and Eleventh remount squadron and later commanded the base remount depot of the army of occupation in Germany. He is thirty-four years old.

FRENCH WAR ORPHANS' FUND

Total Reaches \$1,275, Sufficient to Care for Seventeen Children for One Year.

A total of \$1,275, or enough to provide for 17 French war orphans for a year, had been contributed to the Legion fund for the redemption of the war orphans who formerly were proteges of the late A. E. F., according to the books of the Legion national treasurer, Robert H. Tyndall, up to the close of business on August 14.

Posts of the Legion, or individual members or friends, may adopt a French war orphan for at least one year by contributing \$75 for the first year's support. The money should be sent to the French War Orphan Fund, National Treasurer, Indianapolis, Ind. It will then be turned over to the American Red Cross, which will assign the children and supervise the expenditure of the money.

A specific child will be assigned to each adopting post or individual and a photograph of each mascot will be forwarded to the adopter, who thereafter may keep in touch with the war orphan either direct or through the Red Cross. The Red Cross bears all expense of administration so that all money contributed goes direct to the support of the child.

Organizing in China.

The Gen. Frederick Ward post of the American Legion in Shanghai, China, has been authorized to form other units of the organization in that country. The post was named after the American soldier who organized the "Ever Victorious Army" in China at the time of the Taiping rebellion.

Worse Than That.

Mrs. Jawslip—You say Mr. Jawstrong always does what you tell him to and never talks back? He must be a rare husband.

Mrs. Jawstrong—Rare? He's practically extinct. —American Legion Weekly.

Not a Case of Heart Disease.

M. D.—How's the patient's heart action this morning, nurse?

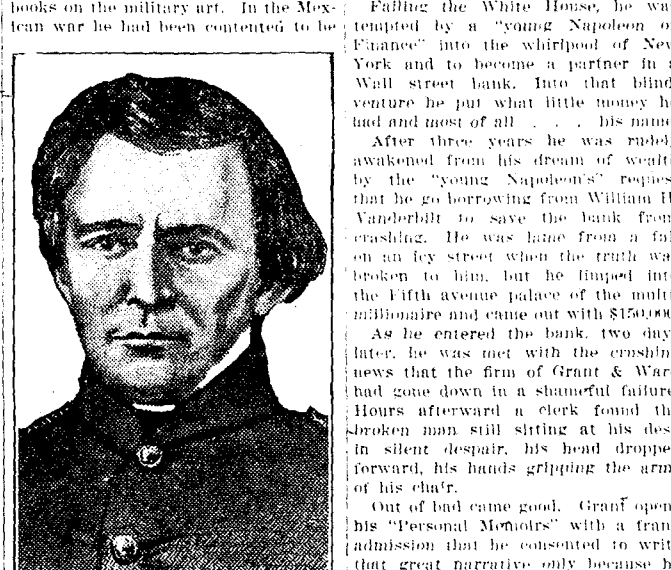
R. N.—Splendid, doctor. He's proposed to me twice already. —American Legion Weekly.

Five-Minute Chats About Our Presidents

By JAMES MORGAN

ULYSSES S. GRANT	SLUGS AND ARROWS
1822—April 27, Hiram Ulysses Grant born at Point Pleasant, O.	1877—Grant's tour of the world.
1839—Enrolled at West Point Military academy as Ulysses Simpson Grant.	1880—June, defeated for nomination for third term in Republican national convention. Entered the firm of Grant & Ward, bankers in New York.
1846—In the Mexican war.	1884—Failure of Grant & Ward. Grant began to write his "Personal Memoirs." Afflicted with cancer of the throat.
1848—Aug. 22, married Julia Dent.	1885—March 4, Congress revived the rank of General for him. July 23, died at Mt. McGregor, N. Y., aged sixty-three.
1854—Resigned from the army.	
1861—Colonel of Twenty-first Illinois volunteer regiment of infantry.	
1861—August, brigadier general.	
1862—April, fought battle of Shiloh.	
1863—July 4, took Vicksburg.	
1864—March, lieutenant general in command of the army. May, opened his campaign in the Wilderness in Virginia.	
1865—April 9, received Lee's surrender at Appomattox Court House.	
1869—March 4, inaugurated eighteenth president, aged 45.	
1872—Grant re-elected. The Credit Mobilier scandal exposed.	
1876—February, "whisky ring" exposed.	
March, Belknap, secretary of war, impeached.	
1877—March 4, Grant retired from the presidency.	

A FAILURE at thirty-nine, at forty-one Grant was the most successful soldier of his generation. War was his element, but he did not suspect it. On the contrary, he hated warfare, was bored by army life and never read books on the military art. In the Mexican war he had been contented to be



Grant as Second Lieutenant.

side-tracked from the fighting line in the quartermaster department. That experience inclined him to be a contractor for supplying bread to the army at the outbreak of the Civil war, when the politicians refused to make him an officer.

"The first time Grant came in sight of the enemy in the Civil war he frankly tells us that his heart jumped into his throat. 'I had not the moral courage,' he said, 'to lead and consider what to do. I kept right on.'"

That is the whole story of how Grant got to Appomattox; he kept right on. Starting without a friend at his back and with only a long, unbroken trail of disappointments behind him, he never asked for promotion, an assignment or a favor, yet this unambitious man rose to be general in chief.

No conqueror ever was higher souled than Grant at Appomattox. Sad and depressed, as he tells us, at the downfall of a valiant foe, he met Lee as if that foe in war were a neighbor in trouble.

When he became president it was Grant's misfortune to know no one except his associates in the war. The self-respecting among them kept away from him. But the self-seekers and the camp followers crowded about a man who never forgot and never distributed a friend, not even when he came bearing a Greek gift, and Senator Charles Sumner spoke scornfully of the administration as a "gift enterprise."

The many scandals of the administration were mostly traceable to the betrayal of Grant's childlike confidence in unworthy friends. "Black Friday" in Wall street cast its shadow on his family circle itself.

The "whisky ring" involved the president's private secretary. A member of the cabinet was impeached for squandering transactions, but by accepting his resignation Grant let him dodge the conviction.

A liberal section of distinguished Republicans revolted against Grant's election to a second term, but they were mostly leaders without followers. The popular revolt did not come until the panic of 1873 had plunged the country into six years of hard times, and a tidal wave in the election of 1874 swept the Democrats into control of the house.

Beautiful City of Petra. The Rock City of Petra, situated at the southern end of the highlands of the Jordan river, is described in a National Geographic society bulletin as one of the strangest, most beautiful and most enchanting spots on earth. Petra is known as the "safe deposit" of caravans en route with precious wares to Tyre and Sidon. At the dawn of human history Petra became the central point to which the caravans from the interior of Arabia, Persia and India came laden with all the precious commodities of the East, and from which these commodities were distributed through Egypt, Palestine and Syria, and the countries bordering on the Mediterranean.

Many Will Not Believe It. A Boston minister says that women are the best accountants. This is hard on the men after all the experience they have had in accounting for themselves the next morning. —St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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ADMITTED HE WAS LOSER

Convivial Gentleman Preferred to Buy His Wine Rather Than Comply With Wife's Request.

Three men about town had a very good day at the races. Each vowed that he would go home and cheerfully obey the first request that his wife made him. A bottle of wine depended upon the result.

The following night they compared notes.

"My wife told me, as I slipped on the cat's paw, to break all the china in the house, so I did," said No. 1.

"I happened accidentally to sit on the piano," said No. 2, and my wife suggested that I should utterly ruin it, so that instrument will be heard no more."

Then No. 3 spoke. "I went for the top step that was not there and fell full length," he explained, "and my wife remarked that she would be pleased to see me break my neck."

"And?" queried his companions, breathlessly.

"Oh, I am paying."

Easy Come—Easy Go.

She—Lucius, I cannot be betrothed to you any longer.

He (with a superior manner)—Well, there are others.

She—Yes, I know. I've just become engaged to one of the others.

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HOLY CITY AS IT IS TODAY

Redeemed but Waiting to Be Clothed in Raiment That is but Her Just Due.

It is well, as we leave the gentle Allurement of flowers in the Garden of Gethsemane and turn toward the city, that our hearts have first been filled with serene joy, writes William D. McCracken in Asia magazine. We regard the fearfully tried city with something of the compassion that the Master felt for it. Seventeen times destroyed—bitterly hated—anxiously sought—how desperate a history since Nebuchadnezzar captured it more than twenty-five centuries ago. And only the other day, it seems, at Christmas time in 1917, Jerusalem was captured again, this time by its friends, the British, after an agreement with the Turks that the city itself should not be bombarded. There was some fighting on the Mount of Olives, and reconnoitering airplanes dropped a bomb or two in and about the Garden of Gethsemane. But Jerusalem had been captured for the last time, and the last offensive was devoid of evil.

Redeemed today, but in her nakedness, Jerusalem waits to be clothed. She has as yet no grace, no covering for her ugly wounds. Some day her sides will glisten with the brightness of a heavenly radiance; she will be washed and anointed like a bride waiting for the bridegroom.

A Treat in Store.

"Now, Tommy," said the wife of Bailiff Biffkins, "be a good boy while I'm gone and I'll reward you."

"What'll you gimme, ma?" asked the precocious child.

"I'll let you go down to the court-house and hear your father basti; or der in court!"—Birmingham Age Herald.

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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, SEPT. 23.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Grayling, Michigan, Sept. 13, 1920.

A regular meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Grayling, convened at the Court House Monday evening, September 13, 1920.

Meeting called to order by President George N. Olson. Trustees present: C. A. Canfield, George McCullough, Harry Simpson, Joe Burton and Arthur C. McIntyre.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

Moved and supported that the Street commissioner, be instructed to purchase a road scraper. Motion carried.

Moved and supported, that the

Eastern Standard time, as adopted by the Council, for the Village of Grayling be changed back to Central standard, midnight of Saturday, Sept. 18th. Motion carried.

To the President and members of the Common Council of the Village of Grayling: Your committee on Finance, claims and accounts respectfully recommends that the following bills be allowed as follows:

Julius Nelson, pay roll ending August 7\$ 72.75
Julius Nelson, pay roll ending August 1478.50
Julius Nelson, pay roll ending August 2192.50
Julius Nelson, pay roll ending August 28133.75
Julius Nelson, pay roll ending September 4167.00
Grayling Electrical Co., service July and August258.85
O. P. Schumann, printing33.10
George Burke, fire truck, storage, July, August10.24
Salling Hanson and Co., one sack cement, four shovels7.30
Peter Jorgenson, auto livery3.00
A. M. Lewis, supplies4.00
Holger F. Peterson, stamps1.00
Central Drug Store, supplies13.00

Moved and supported, that we adjourn. Motion carried.

George N. Olson. Chris. Jensen, Village President. Village Clerk.

WEBSTER-MAN'S MAN

by Peter B. Kyne

Does your ear answer to the drumbeat of adventure?

Do you enjoy a good romance?

Does your pulse respond to a good, story of out-door life?

If the answer is "yes," then "Webster-Man's Man" was written for you. Not since

"Soldiers of Fortune," by Richard Harding Davis, has there been anything like it—or anything of the kind so good.

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BUILDERS' HARDWARE

When building a home it is important that the builder use good hardware. Hinges and door fixtures of good quality insure better working parts and longer wear. And for the best rooms there should be some care taken in selecting those that have good appearance. It adds dressiness to your home.

We also have the plain kinds that mean service and durability and cost less than the artistic kinds.

We are always glad to show our stock. Come in.

Salling Hanson Co.
Hardware Department.

OPEN SHOP WAR LEADS TO WRITS

24 UNIONS AND 60 INDIVIDUALS RESTRAINED FROM INTERFERING WITH CONTRACTORS.

TERRORIST METHODS ALLEGED

Say Building Trades Bodies Intimidated Workers; United States Court Takes Action.

Detroit.—Nearly every labor union and labor leader in Detroit is restrained from picketing or in any way interfering with work being done by members of the Detroit Association of Sanitation and Heating Contractors in a temporary injunction issued by United States Judge Arthur J. Tuttle. The order is said to be one of the most sweeping ever issued in this district and is the outcome of a protracted fight between unions and contractors over an effort to make Detroit a "closed shop city" in the building trades.

In the injunction, 24 labor organizations, both international and local, and more than 60 individuals are named. Among these are the Detroit Federation of Labor and the Detroit Building Trades Council together with their affiliated unions, which embrace virtually all the labor organizations in the city. The unions specified are those of the plumbers, steamfitters, plasterers, cement finishers, electricians and carpenters.

The injunction orders that the persons and organizations named refrain from in any way interfering with the work of the members of the contractors' association; that no effort must be made to keep men from accepting and doing work for the contractors; that places where work is in progress, establishments of the contractors and the employment bureau operated by them must not be picketed; that no threats or intimidation shall be used, and that property of the contractors shall not be destroyed.

WAR "HIDE KING" KILLS SELF

Blair Crohon, Facing Indictment, Takes Poison on D. & C. Steamer.

Detroit.—Despondent over the issuance of warrants charging him with embezzling nearly \$50,000, Blair Crohon, of Grand Rapids, president of the Great Western Hide Co., of Boston, took poison on the D. & C. steamer Western States, just before it pulled into the dock here and died a half hour later at Receiving Hospital.

Crohon, who was known during the war as the "hide king," through his reputed cornering of practically the entire American hide market, was arrested in Grand Rapids on Sept. 13 on a grand jury warrant issued in Boston. His son-in-law, Phil Paris, secretary of the company, was arrested at the same time on a similar charge.

The warrant was issued on complaint of the Anglo-South American Bank of Boston, following Crohon's dealing with it and with the International Trust Co., also of Boston. It was reported at the time that the claim against Crohon's company totaled more than \$1,000,000.

ARREST HUGER GIRL ABDUCTOR

Search by Sister of 14-Year-Old Victim Proves Successful.

Buffalo.—Following a search made by the sister of his alleged victim since Aug. 19, Aaron Mark Risner, 23 years old, of Detroit, was arrested on a charge of abduction while leaving the Postoffice Building, accompanied by Marguerite Huger, 14 years old, of Plymouth, Mich., the girl he is accused of abducting.

The story learned by the local police was to the effect that Marguerite Huger went to Detroit Aug. 19 and met Risner. He is alleged to have then started on a tour of the country with the girl, visiting about a dozen states.

The girl's sister, Nellie Huger, started out to find the couple, but her search was without success until after they had come to Buffalo. Then a letter from Risner to Detroit gave a clue to their whereabouts.

Risner will be brought back to Detroit for trial.

CHICAGO POLICE PREVENT RIOT

Negro Slayers Besieged By Mob of 100 On South Side.

Chicago.—Three Negroes were besieged for more than an hour in St. Gabriel's church on the south side by a mob of 1,000 persons after the Negroes had killed a white man, Charles Jarret, who is said to have gone to the rescue of a white girl insulted by the Negroes. They were rescued and placed in jail when squads of policemen were sent to avert a possible race riot.

CHRONIC CATARRH.

Our manner of living makes us very susceptible to colds and a succession of colds causes chronic catarrh a loathsome disease with which it is estimated that ninety-five per cent of our adult population are afflicted. If you would avoid chronic catarrh you must avoid colds or having contracted a cold get rid of it as quickly as possible. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is highly recommended as a cure for colds and can be depended upon. Adv.

MAPLE FOREST BREEZES.

The farmers of Maple Forest are having lots of fun this season. The Feldhauser Bros. have finished their threshing around this neighborhood for the fall.

Miss Andora Parsons is visiting friends in Detroit.

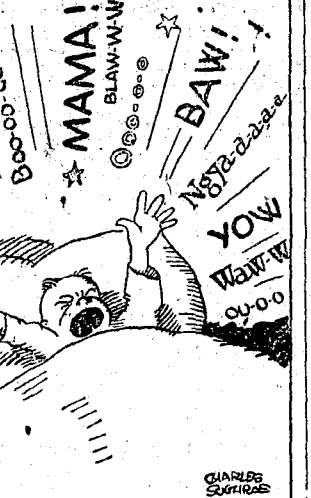
It is pretty hard to get school teachers now so guess the old ladies have to play young once more.

Everyone enjoyed the dancing party very much held at the Hinkley farm Saturday night.

Mrs. William G. Feldhauser is a busy woman, driving the school children back and forth to school.

Mr. Carl Parsons made a business trip to Cheney one day this week.

PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN



We all looked like this once, but Blamed Few of us Will Admit It. A Baby is Just Grand until he gets This Way, whereat Friend Father wonders aloud How Far It is to the Orphan Asylum. And then he Will go Down Town and Pester his Friends to Death, Bragging about what a Bright Child he's the Father of Which.

SEALED BIDS.

Sealed bids will be received for the erection of a town hall in Maple Forest Township, according to plans and specifications now on file. All bids must be on file on or before Friday, October 1st, 1920 at the office of the township clerk in Maple Forest township. The right to accept or reject any or all bids is hereby reserved. John Roberts, Clerk, Maple Forest township.

Instant Relief for Bunion Sufferers

FAIRFOOT will instantly relieve the pain and check further growth of bunions, reduce the joint to normal size, takes out inflammation. No ugly pads or sores in shoe. Guaranteed. We GUARANTEE it won't cost you one cent if you are not satisfied.

We Have a FAIRFOOT Remedy for Every Foot Trouble.

A. M. LEWIS, Druggist

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends for their sympathy and beautiful floral offerings and especially the American Legion boys for their kind assistance during the funeral service of our dear son husband and brother.

P. O. and Mary A. Purcell, Mrs. Lucile Purcell, Irven Purcell, C. J. and Verna Purcell.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is a senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of \$5,000 to each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1920.

A. W. ELLISON, Notary Public.

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so do mice, once they eat RAT-SNAP. And they leave no odor behind. Don't take our word for it—try a package. Cats and dogs won't touch it. Rats die up to food to get RAT-SNAP. Three sizes.

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Gold Horseshoes

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That is the kind of work we do and the kind of paper we use.

Use More Printed Salesmanship. Ask us.

GOITRE.

Caused Dreadful Choking for this Owosso Man. Relieved in two Days by External Remedy.

Note: It would be illegal to publish these statements if they were not true.

Floyd Sprague, 320 Grand Ave. Owosso, Mich., says in his own home paper, the Owosso Argus Press: "I have been the victim of internal goitre for 12 years, and have tried various treatments without any relief. It was without much hope of success that I started with Sorbol Quadruple. But from the second or third application I felt free from that dreadful choking sensation, and have been enjoying some real nights sleep. The old dizziness and weak spells have left. Do not know what your remedy is composed of, but know that it is full of relief for what it is sold. Please accept these few lines as a part of the thanks I think due to you and your truly great remedy. If anyone wants to know my experience direct, I will gladly answer them."

Sorbol Quadruple comes in small bottles containing enough for most cases. Will not strain or irritate. Does not interfere with regular work. Leaves parts in healthful, normal condition. Requires 10 minutes daily.

Get further information at Lewis Drug Store, drug stores everywhere, or write Sorbol Company, Mechanicsburg, Ohio. Adv.

"I Spent \$1.25 on Rat-Snap and Saved the Price of a Hog."

James McQuire, famous Hog Raiser of New Jersey, says, "I advise every farmer troubled with rats to use RAT-SNAP. Tried everything to get rid of rats. Spent \$1.25 on RAT-SNAP. Figured the rats it killed saved the price of a hog." RAT-SNAP comes in cake form. No mixing with other food. Cats or dogs won't touch it. Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by A. M. Lewis. Adv.

WANTS

Advertisements will be accepted under this heading at the rate of 5 cents per line. No adv. taken for less than 25 cts. There are about six words to the line. SEND MONEY WITH ORDER.

WANTED: AT THE UNIVERSITY

hospital, Ann Arbor, Michigan, women for dish-washing, and men for porter work and general cleaning about the hospital. Apply Dietitian. 9-23-4.

FOR SALE—CANVAS TENT, 9 x 12

ft. Good as new. Inquire at Avalanche Office.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED OR ELDERLY

woman to care for two children. Mother teaches school. Inquire of James Anthony, Moorestown, Mich. 9-22-2.

BRINK PARK LOTS, BELONGING

to W. F. Brink, have been placed in hands of Frank Sales for sale. He will also attend to collections for Mr. Brink. 9-16-3

FOR SALE—A No. 1 work team,

8 and 9 years-old; weight 2500; harness and wagon, with or without. C. S. Barber, Frederic, Mich. 9-9-4

FOR SALE—My home on Railroad

street near Lake street. 7-room house and garage. Will sell reasonable. Phone 761. Wm. H. Cody, Grayling, Mich. 9-9-2

WANTED FEMALE HELP—MAID

wanted for general work at once. Apply Knight's Boarding House. tf.

WANTED—A HOUSEKEEPER.

A good home. Inquire at Avalanche office. 9-5-2.

JUNK WANTED.WILL PAY HIGH

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD, IN CHANCERY.

Fred A. Wright and Cullen N. Wright, Plaintiffs.

vs.

Samuel L. Roberts, Caroline Roberts, Harry E. Bowman, Effie M. Bowman and E. H. Doan (whose first name is unknown to plaintiffs), Defendants.

In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford: In Chancery, made and entered on the 14th day of July, A. D., 1920, in the above entitled cause, I, the subscriber a Circuit Court commissioner of the County of Roscommon, in said state, shall sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling, in said County of Crawford, on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day all those certain lands and premises, situate and being in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, and State of Michigan, and described as all of Section seven (7) Township twenty-seven (27) North of range two (2) west.

Hiram R. Smith, Circuit Court Commissioner, Roscommon County, Michigan. 8-19-6



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Brown Sugar. 16½c
Granulated Sugar per lb. . . . 16½c
Lenox Soap, per bar 5c
VanCamp's Milk, Tall Cans . 15c
White House Coffee, lb. 52c
Morning Cup Coffee, lb. 52c

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Dr. J. J. Love

DENTIST

Phone 1271

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Glad News for Sad Feet



A Complete Line of Remedies

It's hard to think of any ailment more annoying than foot troubles. Every step you take is a constant reminder.

But there are now a number of good remedies on the market for affording quick relief. And the price, in most instances, is very reasonable.

We have a fresh stock of all the best known corn plasters—bunion pads—foot bath tablets—foot powders—and other preparations.

We also can supply you with salves—liniments—disinfectants—adhesive plasters—bandages—etc.



J.M. Lewis
DRUGGIST & BOOKSELLER
The Retail Store

LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, SEPT. 23.

Carl Hanson is the clerk at Lewis' Drug store.

Henry Trudo returned from Cheboygan where he spent Sunday.

Lillian Smith has resigned her position at the Hans Petersen store.

Mrs. Frank Karnes returned Monday afternoon after a week's visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Margaret Jensen has resumed her duties at the Salling Hansen company store after a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. August McCauley left Monday afternoon for Stoughton where she will visit with relatives and friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mathieson left Sunday night for Fall River, Mass. They will spend about three weeks visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip G. Zalsman and daughter Elsie and Mr. Lyle Milks drove over to Traverse City Sunday and spent the day.

Mr. Alfred Bebb and Miss Dora Sauve of Bay City spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bebb of DuPont Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Kidston and daughter Ada, Edna Beezer and Elvira Underhill motored to Lewistown Saturday to take in the dance.

Mrs. Ross Sparks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Smith of this city, returned to her home in Detroit after several weeks' visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Nelson and two daughters Olga and Anna and Miss Helen Parr were in Johannesburg last Sunday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Johnson of Cheboygan are visiting with friends here this week. Mr. Johnson was formerly agent at the M. N. & E. depot.

Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Kidston have as their guests, Mrs. Joseph Boulanger and son Benedict of Cheboygan. She expects to stay a week.

Mr. Emil Kraus returned Monday afternoon from his visit in Milwaukee, where he has been visiting with relatives. Mrs. Kraus is expected to return later.

Mrs. Andy Larson and children returned to their home in Johannesburg Sunday after a few days' visit with Mrs. Larson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen.

Holger Cook left last night for Ann Arbor. On his way back he will stop at Detroit, Saginaw and Bay City where he will visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. Andy Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Raae, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson and daughter all of Johannesburg were in the city over Sunday visiting relatives and friends.

Lorraine Virginia Lauridsen, 3 months and 28 days old died Wednesday morning Sept. 22. The little child was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lauridsen of this city.

There will be no special meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Michigan Memorial church. The regular meeting will be held Friday afternoon, October 1st, at 3:00 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Johnson and daughter Ardis together with Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Love and daughter Roberta drove to Traverse City Saturday afternoon to visit with relatives and friends over Sunday. They returned Monday evening.

KILLS RATS

and mice—that RAT-SNAP, the old reliable rodent destroyer. Comes in cakes—no mixing with other food.

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FOR QUICK RESULTS USE OUR WANT COLUMN—The Cost Is Small.

Big drop in prices of Ford. Ask George Burke.

Mr. LaBrag of Cheboygan is a patient at Mercy hospital.

Grayling band will play at the Gaylord fair next week.

Miss Anna Walton and little Jane Keyport are leaving today for Detroit.

Mrs. Chas. Lytle left Monday afternoon for Cadillac where she will undergo an operation.

Mr. Henry Hornbeck of Marquette arrived Wednesday morning to visit with relatives and friends.

Rev. Doty left Monday afternoon for Bay City where he will attend the annual M. E. conference.

Mr. Leon Fitzgerald left Monday afternoon for Traverse City to visit friends and attend the fair.

Mrs. Martin Kroschinski of Detroit is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Johnson for a few days.

Wm. H. Cody and wife have purchased the Burton house restaurant of John Billings and took possession Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hewitt are the happy parents of a nice daughter born Wednesday morning at Mercy hospital.

Mrs. Anna Hansen and daughter Inger spent Saturday and Sunday in Johannesburg, visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Edward King returned Tuesday afternoon from Bay City, where she has been visiting with relatives and friends.

W. A. McNeal, Burt Shaw and Waldemar Olson where among those who joined the Consistory at Bay City last week.

Kenneth Johnson, Hazel Bentley, Harold Clifton and Bessie Pollack drove to Boyne City last Sunday to visit with friends.

Geo. L. Alexander, Henry A. Bauman and Melvin A. Bubes are attending the State Republican convention being held in Saginaw today.

Mrs. Clyde Gates and son Robert left Tuesday afternoon for their home in Pontiac after several weeks' visit with the parents of Mrs. Gates.

Mrs. E. F. Matson and children returned Saturday afternoon after a week's visit with relatives and friends in Bay City and Flint.

Grayling lodge Loyal Order of Moose will give a dancing party at their club rooms next Saturday night. Members and friends are cordially invited.

Miss Lucile Hanson is leaving today for New York, where she will attend the Knox college. She will be accompanied by her mother as far as Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Blaine returned from Bay City this morning after several weeks' visit with friends. Mrs. Blaine was formerly Miss Essey Forbes.

Mrs. Labahn of Cheboygan arrived last Friday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Herman over Sunday. Mrs. Labahn is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Herman.

Thru an oversight the Avalanche omitted an item last week of Henry Stephan and family who visited the State fair at Detroit. They drove thru in their auto in one day.

To honor Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Herron, who are leaving Grayling to reside in Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Holger Peterson entertained a number of friends at "Bridge" Saturday evening.

Mrs. T. Boesen and Mrs. H. P. Hansen gave an afternoon party at Lake Margrethe yesterday afternoon in the honor of Mrs. H. P. Madsen who is here from Portland Oregon visiting with relatives and friends.

A fine lot of samples of 1921 calendars at the Avalanche office. Don't wait if you want calendars for next year but phone us and we will send the lot to you for inspection. We have the art kinds and also less expensive qualities.

A letter from Mrs. C. R. Keyport to her sister Miss Walton in this city, said that she and Dr. were on Wall street where the explosion occurred last Thursday afternoon, killing 35 and injuring hundreds, just 20 minutes before it occurred.

Miss Margaret Joseph entertained the teachers with an evening party at the home of her mother Tuesday evening. All the teachers with the exception of one were present and a most enjoyable social evening was spent.

Mrs. Stephan Karpus and children left Tuesday afternoon for Bay City where they are going to make their home. Mr. Karpus has been there for several weeks where he is working. The Karpus family were very well-known here and have been good citizens, such as we are sorry to lose.

Mrs. A. E. Mason was hostess at a 1 o'clock luncheon Thursday afternoon of last week to the ladies of the Bridge club and a few guests. The ladies were seated at small tables which were most attractively decorated with bright red dahlias. After luncheon the afternoon was spent playing bridge. Mrs. Geo. Alexander holding the highest score.

Soy beans seem to have met a favorable standing among some of the farmers of this county. They are used for feeding cattle in the place of hay. It grows very heavy and about three feet high. As a milk producer it claims to have high merit. Elmer Ostrander has a fine field of these beans this season. He brot a few samples to town last Saturday for exhibition, a bunch of which may be seen at the Avalanche office.

Mr. Charles Eickhoff whose body was brot here last week for burial was an old resident of this place. While here Mr. Eickhoff worked at the Band mill and was a well known and good citizen. After working here a few years he with his family moved to Flint where they have resided until Mr. Eickhoff's death. Three of his old war comrades—O. Palmer, A. C. Wilcox and Adelbert Taylor—were in attendance at the funeral services. At the grave taps were sounded by Bandmaster Clarke. The body that was laid to rest in Elmwood Cemetery will always be guided by the flag he loved so well—the stars and stripes that he fought to preserve in the Civil war. Mr. Eickhoff had reached the age of 81 years.

Fall Showing of the New Fall Suits for Men

A choice selection of Stylplus and Kuppenheimer Suits are just in. Splendid patterns and styles.

Special values in Serges at—

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New models in Ladies' Sweaters now on display.

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The STYLE in Kuppenheimer good clothes. The comfort of ease in every action and posture, a true fit, the confidence of good taste and graceful lines—all combined in a practical and pleasing manner.

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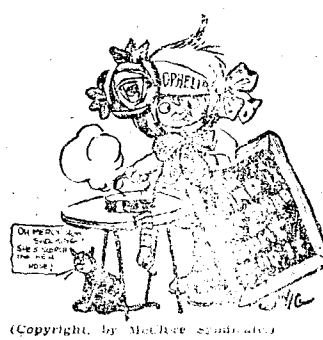
Grayling Mercantile Company

The Quality Store

Are you going to the Gaylord fair next week? They have a good program of entertainment.

A logging train backing up struck a cow near Alba station last week Wednesday, derailling the way car. Conductor James Blain, to avoid getting hurt, jumped off the car but was in some manner thrown beneath the way car and killed. Marion R. Hopkins of Frederic, a section man, who was standing at the time on a pile of ties was thrown into the mixup and sustained an injured ankle and right leg.

J. W. Sorenson struck Claude Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards, with his auto Wednesday evening knocking him down causing a few bruises and a slight hemorrhage from the rear of a wagon and Mr. Sorenson, who says that he was driving at about ten miles per hour, had just turned out to let the wagon pass when the lad jumped off and started across the street right in front of the auto just in time to get hit. He no doubt did not see the car coming, and the driver could not see the boy until he was in front of the car. Mr. Sorenson says he stopped within the length of his car and found the boy beneath it. He lifted him out from under and took him to a doctor where it was found no bones had been broken. It was a lucky escape for the youngster, for had the wheels passed over him there might have been a casualty to report. Children should be taught to look first before crossing a street. This is true especially when getting off another vehicle in the middle of the street. The accident here mentioned would no doubt have happened to the driver of any car that may have been in the same position as Mr. Sorenson's. The people generally cannot but have the utmost contempt for a reckless or fast driver who injures a person or child, and on the other hand predestine have a duty to perform in being reasonable cautious in crossing streets. Claude, of course, is barely more than a baby and perhaps cannot be blamed, except possibly that he is too young to be catching on behind wagons, which is always dangerous fun for youngsters, but parents should do their best to impress it upon the minds of their children to be cautious. The writer has seen so many close escapes of children in the streets from auto accidents that we could not help but wonder whether or not before another edition of the Avalanche was published that some child might be killed. It is a matter of grave concern to all parents. Let us take the lucky escape of Claude Edwards as a warning and drivers of cars and everyone double their caution while in places of possible danger.



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AUCTION SALE.

I will sell at public auction at my place on the Gurney farm, 2 1/2 miles south of Portage lake on the Beaver Creek road, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. on Wednesday, September 29 the following described property, to-wit:

- 6 milk cows.
- 1 beef cow.
- Yearling Holstein bull, thoroughbred.
- 1 Yearling heifer, part Holstein.
- 6 calves.
- 3 horses.
- 2 sets double work harness.
- 1 set double driving harness.
- 1 feed cooker.
- Spring tooth harrow.
- 8 horse collars.
- 1 lumber wagon.
- 2 light wagons.
- 2 buggies.
- 100 milk bottles and caps.
- And other thing too numerous to mention.

Terms of sale—All sums of \$5.00 and under, cash. Over that amount 1 year's time will be given on go-backable notes, bearing interest at 6 per cent.

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According to government figures, two rats breeding continually for three years produce 359,709,482 individual rats. Act when you see the first rat, don't wait. RAT-SNAP is the surest, cleanest, most convenient exterminator. No mixing with other foods. Dries up after killing—leaves no smell. Cats or dogs won't touch it. Sold and guaranteed by A. M. Lewis. Adv.

KEEP WELL AND BE HAPPY.

If you would be happy you must keep your bowels regular. One or two of Chamberlain's tablets taken immediately after supper will cause a gentle movement of the bowels on the following morning. Try it. Adv.

NO MORE RATS

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MARRIAGE LICENCES.

Sept. 16. George Wagner and Laura E. Moon.

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STATE NEWS

Owosso—The high school faculty and students will publish a daily paper this year.

Port Huron—Michigan Commercial Secretaries' Association, newly organized, will meet in Port Huron in March, 1921.

Cadillac—Cadillac Handle Co. closed its plant here after 30 years' operation, because of exhaustion of the timber supply.

Battle Creek—N. A. Cobb, attorney, lost a finger by amputation following blood poisoning, that resulted from picking up a can in his garden.

Saginaw—Saginaw voters will be asked Nov. 2 to approve an amendment to the city charter which would unite the city's two taxing districts.

Albion—Calhoun County has more older mills than in the past decade, and they are grinding out the apple juice at nearly every four corners in this section.

Albion—A 90-year-old house, one of the landmarks of Calhoun County, is being torn down by Philo Snyder, of Bath Mills, near Albion, to make way for a new farm house.

Wayne—Ground was broken for the Wayne water filtration plant, Marshall Charles Gowdy and President John Ziegler will supervise and speed the construction.

Grand Rapids—Improvement of T. Grand Rapids' streets is in the preliminary 1921 schedule, proposed by City Manager Fred H. Locke. The list also includes nine sewers.

Grand Rapids—The city commission, after battling for two months on a petition of the Consumers Power Co. for a rate increase, ordered a referendum on the Nov. 2 election.

Monroe—John M. Anteau, 70, retired grain dealer, of Milan, was instantly killed north of Dundee, when his automobile left the highway and upset, burying him under the tonneau.

Menominee—Day Eleanor Larson, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson of this city, died on the way to a hospital after being struck by an automobile driven by Joseph Kivel of Escanaba.

Harrison—The Harrison State Bank was robbed by bandits who forced the vault and stole all the cash and contents of safe deposit boxes, including \$1,000 in currency and stamps in the postoffice box.

Harbor Springs—Gems, valued at several hundred dollars and stolen from the cottage of Charles E. Hayes, at Wequetonung, 17 years ago, were found by children while playing in sand under a loose board in the woods.

Coldwater—Rooms were rented by the Homer Furniture Co. for use of classes in the new school of technology already started by the firm here. Employees will be taught technical knowledge of foundry work. The enrollment is large.

Pontiac—Pontiac's new commission manager charter went into effect. For the present it makes no particular difference in the operation of the city and present officials will hold over until seven new commissioners are selected Nov. 2.

East Lansing—Certain soils of the Saginaw valley and Thumb districts of Michigan, may be compared favorably with the famous corn belt sections of Illinois, says Dr. M. McCool, head of the soils department at the Michigan Agricultural college.

Bay City—The six-year-old son of William Robinson, of Caro, complained of being sick. His mother administered some medicine and he appeared to feel better. Later when she came back to the room, her son was dead. An inquest will be held.

Holland—A drive for a county organization of the American Legion is soon to be launched in Ottawa county by Holland post. The purpose is to expedite work by the army vocational and rehabilitation boards among disabled and wounded ex-service men.

Mt. Clemens—Counsel for Lloyd Prevost, now serving a life sentence in Jackson prison for the murder of J. Stanley Brown, wealthy Detroit heir, have filed an appeal. The claims for a new trial are based on alleged errors in rulings, and the charge to the jury.

Charlotte—The Olivet College Conservatory of Music offers four free scholarships this year, two for vocal training and two for piano instruction. These scholarships will be awarded at a contest to take place in Olivet during the first week after the opening of the college, Sept. 21.

Kalamazoo—Believing they were doing away with an illegal contrivance, Frank Grupka, Tony Endick and John Skysky destroyed a fish net they found in Barton Lake, Schoolcraft Township. Now they are facing trial in Circuit Court on a charge of destroying a net set by the deputy game warden to clear the lake of gar fish.

Battle Creek—A central tabulation bureau, authorized under the state laws, will be put into effect here for the November election whereby the votes of the various precincts will be tabulated almost as they are cast. Duplicate ballot boxes are to be used at the various precincts. These will be collected by the police every two hours, taken to the central tabulation bureau and the ballots counted. City officials expect to have the complete count for the city made within an hour and a half after the polls have closed.

Lansing—The deer hunting season in Michigan will be shorter this year than formerly, according to an edict of the public domain commission which has decreed that deer may lawfully be hunted only from November 13 to 22 both inclusive, as against November 10 to 30 of former years. This new law applies to all counties in the state, which means that a great many lower peninsula counties, where deer now abound also are thrown open to hunters. The limit remains at one deer to each license, same as last season.

Adrian—St. Joseph academy opened for the fall term, having an enrollment of 460.

Staudiah—The Omea Creamery, owned by D. Henry, burned at a loss of \$3,000. It will be rebuilt immediately.

Holland—A runaway horse struck the Methodist church at Wayland and fell down the basement steps, breaking its neck.

Adrian—Meridian trunk highway, south of Hudson, is now being made to the Prattville road with about 25 teams working.

Petoskey—Ninth forest preserve, in Emmet county, is to be opened before the close of the month. It is of 3,000 acres on Cecil Bay.

Charlotte—When the Nottawa Drain is finished, in Newton Township, it will drain 10,000 acres of land, and will cost \$180,000.

Marshall—Boxing for the year ending June 30, 1920, brought the state \$40,000 in fees, says Thomas W. Huger, state boxing commissioner.

Port Huron—Thumb District Bankers, members of Group 7, who visit Port Huron, Sept. 24, will also be entertained at St. Clair and Marysville.

Kalamazoo—Louis Olivet, switchman in the Kalamazoo yards of the New York Central railroad, died from injuries received while coupling cars.

Kalamazoo—Mrs. Charley Letts Potter, of Kalamazoo, although her husband, Allen Potter, has been dead 35 years, celebrated her diamond wedding anniversary.

Berlinton—Mrs. Anna Carrier, for 30 years postmistress in this village, has resigned, owing to ill-health, and will make her home with a daughter near Memphis, Tenn.

Kalamazoo—Miss Elaine Freeman has presented, for a second time, a bill against the city for \$165 for the death of her Airedale pup, which was shot by a policeman.

Hillsdale—A new factory for the manufacture of brushes of all kinds will be started in Hillsdale in a few days by George H. Bartlett, who has come from Kingstown, N. Y.

Eaton Rapids—New Carnegie library plans are about finished and the foundation will probably be completed this fall. Charles Horner gave the site to the library board.

Scottville—Virgil A. Fitch, defeated as a Republican candidate for nomination as representative, says he will seek election on slips as an opponent of R. J. Quail, Republican nominee for prosecuting attorney.

Onaway—There are few, if any idle farms in northeastern Michigan. James E. Snody, president of the Northeastern Development Bureau, said here following a visit to every county in the district.

Bay City—A way out of the quandary the board of education finds itself in, regarding the choice of a high school site for the West Side, has been opened by the offer of a site for the school by Thomas L. Handy.

Muskegon—Neatly clipping off the heel of her shoe, lightning passed through the body of Miss Marjorie Benjamin, aged 20, of this city, without injuring the young lady other than giving her a slight shock from which she has already fully recovered.

Pontiac—Charging that Herman Czernkusch, Walpole Lake farmer, made statements to others that his former hired man set fire to three barns July 16, John C. Wolgast, of Detroit, the former employee, has brought a \$20,000 damage suit for alleged slander.

Muskegon—Continental Realty Co., composed largely of officers and stockholders in Continental Motors, at the meeting of the city commission, outlined plans for the development of a 700-acre tract east of the city and extending to Muskegon river into a model home district.

Houghton—A movement may shortly be set afoot to bring about a separation of the upper peninsula posts of the American Legion from the department of Michigan, making the U. P. an independent department. It is claimed by proponents of the plan that the distance between the two peninsulas is so great that proper cooperation is impossible.

Kalamazoo—After taking a flight in an airplane, attending a vaudeville performance in the evening and buying tickets for a boxing bout Ewan Bjork, whose neighbors have declared him the most cheerful man they knew, committed suicide. While his wife and daughter were away, he removed the tube of a gas stove, inserted the end in his mouth and turned on the gas.

Lansing—Duck hunters will be under the supervision of the United States weather bureau as well as subject to the Michigan game department wardens from the morning of Sept. 16 to the evening of Dec. 31. The weather bureau will act as an adjunct in determining the exact time of sunrise and sunset in the interim of which ducks (except woods ducks) may legally be shot.

Ann Arbor—Lieutenant Colonel Joseph Burby has been appointed director of the newly organized housing bureau of the University of Michigan. He will assume his duties as soon as he gets his discharge from the army. Since the signing of the armistice Colonel Burby has been in charge of the salvage board of the Detroit ordinance district. Colonel Burby's duties, according to President Burton, will be to find a room with a good bed and all needed equipment for every student in the University of Michigan.

Kalamazoo—A resolution pledging members of the Michigan State Shoe dealers' association to closely cooperate with the fair price commissioner of Michigan in his efforts to reduce high costs and eliminate unfair practices in business, was adopted by the convention at the closing session. The shoe dealers elected the following officers: Thomas Jackson, Detroit, pres.; Fred Appeldoorn, Kalamazoo, vice-pres.; George E. Owens, of Saginaw, sec.-treas. The directors are: J. E. Wilson, F. McElroy; J. H. Fox, and Ernest H. Ledor.

BOMB EXPLOSION IN WALL STREET

MORE THAN 30 KILLED AND OVER 200 INJURED BY BLAST IN FINANCIAL DISTRICT.

\$1,000,000 PROPERTY DAMAGE

Police Believes Clue Is Unearthed With Discovery of Shortage of Stock Explosive.

New York—A mysterious explosion in Wall street, near Bond, believed by trained department of justice and police investigators to have been caused by an infernal machine, rocked the heart of New York's financial district, leaving death and destruction in its wake.

At least 32 persons were killed, more than 200 were injured, the banking house of J. P. Morgan & company, the subtreasury and the assay office were partially wrecked and property damage estimated in excess of \$1,000,000 was caused by the blast.

New York—A clue to the source of the explosive which rocked New York's financial district was unearthed by the fire department after a three day search of all establishments carrying explosives as a stock in trade.

The location and name of the establishment was not made public. A fire department official made the simple announcement that "a suspicious shortage of explosives had been found and that there was no explanation of where it went."

It was further stated that all the facts had been put in possession of department of justice and police officials.

EXTENSION GRANTED NEWBERRY

Has Until October 18 to File Record in Appeal.

Washington—A second extension of time, to Oct. 18, for filing the record in the appeal of Truman H. Newberry and co-defendants from the verdict of the Federal District Court of Eastern Michigan has been granted by the Supreme Court.

Only the record is required to be filed on the date set. The briefs of the applicants and the government will not be filed until later. It is considered doubtful if the case will be argued at the coming winter term.

Since Mr. Newberry has indicated his intention not to try to resume his seat in the Senate pending final decision of the case, Michigan seems likely to be without its allotted representation during the entire short session of Congress, convening in December.

The appeal for additional time for preparation of the case was made by Charles E. Hughes, who has obtained Martin W. Littleton as chief counsel for the defendant.

SEN. JOHNSON TO "STUMP" EAST

Hiram Plans On Coming to Indiana On Speaking Tour.

Chicago—Senator Hiram Johnson expects to come east and speak in the campaign and may include Indiana in his itinerary, especially the great industrial district about Gary, where the iron and steel mills are located.

Senator Johnson has written a letter to C. G. Kingwill of Hammond, in which he says:

"My plans are still vague, but I am hoping to come to Indiana in behalf of the Republican ticket. If I do come into your state, I shall be more than delighted to come into Lake county. I want to explain to your people there my appreciation of their very great kindness to me in the presidential primary."

OUSTED SOCIALISTS REELECTED

Five Assemblymen Who Were Denied Seats Defeat Fusion Candidates

New York—The five socialist assemblymen who were expelled from the state legislature last spring on charges of disloyalty, were re-elected at special elections held here.

The vote in the five districts where the ousted assemblymen ran was light compared with that when they were chosen at the general election last November. In the eighth district New York county, Louis Waldman, Socialist, was elected over Morris B. Reiss, the Fusion candidate, by a vote of 3,066 to 2,222.

Samuel A. Dewitt defeated the Fusion candidate, Milton Altshuler, in the third Bronx district, 3,865 to 2,310.

Japs Control 'Isle of Thieves'

San Francisco—The passing of Magellan's "Isle of the Thieves", the Ladrone, from German to Japanese control, marks the third time within a generation that the inhabitants have been subjected to a change in official language. The Germans in 1899 made German the official language. Now, as a result of the war, German control of the Marianne Islands, with the Marshall and Caroline groups, went to Japan and Japanese is the official language.

Says Charlie Chaplin Is "Tight"

New York—"Mr. Chaplin is so tight with his money, I don't believe one could separate him from a cent with a vacuum cleaner." A few minutes after she had sobbed out these words, in the course of a lengthy statement in the offices of her attorneys, Mrs. Mildred Harris-Chaplin, wife of the film comedian, collapsed and was ordered to take a rest of a week. She was whisked away in a limousine to Manor Neck, N. Y., to recover from a breakdown.

DESCHANEL RESIGNS AS PRESIDENT OF FRANCE



M. PAUL DESCHANEL

Paris—Paul Deschanel, president of France, has presented Premier Millerand with a letter of resignation, and his presidential message which accompanied it has been read to the Senate and the Chamber of Deputies.

The resignation of M. Deschanel comes at the end of almost 45 years of active political life during which he rose from a cabinet officer's secretary and finally to the post of chief citizen of France to which office he was elected January 7, last.

In the early morning of May 27, just five months after his election, M. Deschanel fell from a moving train while en route from Paris to Montbrison to dedicate a monument. His failure to fully recover is believed to be the reason for his resignation.

STATE CLAIMS BORDER ERROR

Boundary Commission May File Suit Against Wisconsin.

Lansing—Members of the Michigan Boundary Commission, created by the last Legislature, were in Lansing to arrange with Alex J. Groesbeck, attorney-general, for filing a suit in the United States Supreme Court to compel Wisconsin to relinquish 400 square miles of land which the commission says their investigations have proved belong to Michigan.

One Capt. Cram, in 1841, made a mistake in a survey, the commission declares, with the result that Wisconsin for three-quarters of a century has been administering the law and collecting the taxes on lands which rightfully belong to this state. The territory in controversy includes Hurley, Wis., once famous for having the most saloons per capita of population of any village in the country. It also includes several islands in the Menominee River, on one of which stands a statue of Isaac Stephenson, former United States senator from Wisconsin.

AVIATOR HURT BY PROPELLOR

McLoughlin, Who Appeared At Recent Michigan Fair, Injured In N. Y.

Syracuse—Five hundred feet in the air, in view of 80,000 visitors at the State Fair, "Tex" McLoughlin, aviator, was badly injured, when struck by the propeller of the higher airplane to which he had transferred himself in mid-air.

He clung to the rope ladder of the machine until it reached the ground, blood dripping over the spectators as the machine circled in descending, partially out of control. McLoughlin was still conscious, when reached, though he had been dragged more than 100 feet on the ground. He is in the Crook-Ingling Hospital and will recover.

McLoughlin was one of the stunt aviators appearing at the Michigan State Fair, at Detroit, held recently.

U. S. CHARGES PRISON CRUELTY

Federal Prisoners in Maryland State Penitentiary Ordered Removed

Washington—All federal prisoners in the Maryland state penitentiary will have to be moved to another institution as a result of an investigation of charges of brutality practiced there. It was announced at the department of justice, Assistant Attorney General Adams has approved the report of federal inspectors recommending the removal of the prisoners, it was stated, but none of the details of the conditions found to exist in the penitentiary were made public.

669 Ships Added During 1920.

Washington—Shipping under American registration increased by 669 vessels and 3,416,713 gross tons during the fiscal year of 1920. The Department of Commerce announced. On June 30 registered shipping consisted of 28,182 vessels, totaling 16,324,013 gross tons, as against 27,513 vessels of 12,907,300 gross tons on June 30, 1919. Of the year's increase nearly 90 per cent consisted of seagoing ships of 1,000 gross tons or over owned by the Shipping Board.

Plan 50 Per Cent Dividend.

New York—Crucible Steel's entire authorized common stock capital of \$75,000,000 will be outstanding not later than the first of next year, according to present plans. This will be accomplished by declaration of a 50 per cent stock dividend at either the October or November meeting of the directors. It is expected the report for the fiscal year ended August 31, last will show net for stock of \$15,000,000 or more. Earnings may run several millions above this level.

UNUSUAL HAPPENINGS AND OTHER BRIEF NEWS

"Distinction" to Be Drunk. Baltimore—"It is a distinction to be able to get drunk these days," Mrs. Annie Heizer declared, when arraigned on a charge of biting a policeman while intoxicated.

Spanish War Vets In Meet.

St. Louis—J. K. Witherspoon of Seattle was elected commander of the United Spanish War Veterans at the closing business session of the twenty-second annual national encampment here. St. Paul will get the 1921 encampment.

Would Discontinue School Vacations

Sacramento, Cal.—Abolition of summer school vacations for all children between eight and 16 because the vacation period "induces habits of idleness and criminality among boys," was advocated by Will C. Wood, state superintendent of schools.

Many Injured in Movie Battle.

Los Angeles, Calif.—One hundred and sixty accident and injury claims were filed here with the Workmen's State Industrial commission by motion picture actors and actresses who took part in a battle scene that was photographed. Of the claimants by far the larger number were women.

Thieves Gain Entrance By Trick.

Columbus, O.—After gaining entrance to the residence of John J. Joyce, politician and real estate dealer, two men stole \$16,400 worth of jewelry and cash from Mrs. Sarah L. Roberts, a sister-in-law of Mr. Joyce. She admitted the men when they said Mr. Joyce sent them for "some papers."

Church Has Baptism of Fire.

Los Angeles.—To make the baptism of church members more "comfortable" the pastor of the Broadway Christian Church had the water for the baptism heated. As his first subject was about to be lowered the pipes blew up. Instead of the ceremony the congregation had to watch the fire department at work.

Hydro-Plane Lost in Alps.

Geneva.—A large hydro-airplane, which was last seen over the Alps near St. Gothard, is being searched for. The machine is believed to have fallen into an abyss. It was on its way from Italy to Finland, piloted by an Italian aviator and with a Finnish officer and a passenger, having been bought for the Finnish army.

Would Starve, Rather Than Beg.

Los Angeles.—"I'd rather starve to death than beg. I've not eaten a meal in 12 days, but I'd go along until the end before I'd beg from anybody." That is what 80-year-old Patrick Dempsey told the Santa Monica police. He was found under the shelter of the Palisades, where he had built a fire, by which he was seated.

Mexico Orders 37 New Ships.

Ottawa.—The new government of Prince Rupert Drydock Co. to build Mexico has placed an order with 37 ships, mostly oil tankers. The contracts have been handed to the minister of marine for endorsement, the company applying for the government guaranty as provided in the shipping legislation passed at the last session of Parliament.

Teamsters Would Debate Issue.

New York—The strike committee of Van Teamsters' Union, Local 2773, has challenged the Van Owners' Association to debate the issues of the teamsters' strike, in Madison Square Garden. The teamsters suggested that two-thirds of the Garden be allotted equally to friends of the contending parties and the remaining third thrown open to the public.

Circus Elephant On Rampage.

Salina, Kas.—It required three rounds from five army rifles to kill Snyder, a trained elephant belonging to a circus showing here. The animal had gone mad just as the circus was about to open and hundreds of persons massed about the animal's tent. Before being killed the elephant upset many cages containing other animals and threw one cage with four lions inside 30 feet.

Petain, Defender of Verdun, Weds.

Paris—Marshal Henri Philippe Petain, commander in chief of French armies during the latter years of the great war and whose work at Verdun made him a national figure, was married to Madame Hardin. The marriage is a realization of a lifelong dream of the marshal, who knew the bride when she was a very young girl. He always cherished a tender memory of her and hoped that, some day, circumstances would enable him to marry her.

Bolshevik Gold Turned Down.

London.—The board of directors of the Daily Herald will not accept the Russian soviet government's offer of 75,000 pounds. The directors deny that the money had been offered. The Daily Herald, the radical laborite organ, recently frankly asked its readers whether it should accept 75,000 pounds from Russian sympathizers. Without the support of this money, it added, it would be compelled to double its price. Mr. Mayne, who made the offer, resigned from the board.

Take Three Pins From Throat

New York—Three safety pins, one of them opened, were removed from the throat of Clara Kueher, a year old, by Dr. Max Schroeder. According to Mrs. Anna Kueher, mother of the child, the pins were swallowed two years ago. An X-ray examination failed to locate the pins. Believing they had been coughed out the incident was forgotten until Dr. Schroeder examined the child and without making an outside incision succeeded in removing the pins.

FIGHTS TO KEEP ON FOOD STRIKE

DR. SEDGWICK, WHITEHALL, HELD FOR MURDER OF WIFE AND DAUGHTER.

VICTIMS STRANGLED TO DEATH

Accused Doctor Refuses to Speak or Eat; Believed Mentally Unbalanced, Says Brother.

Muskegon.—Physicians made an unsuccessful effort to forcibly feed Dr. Otis W. Sedgwick, of Whitehall, here, who has refused to eat or talk since he was arrested in connection with the deaths of his wife and three-year-old daughter Ruby. The bodies were found on the lawn at the physician's home in Whitehall. Examining physicians said death was due to strangulation.

Dr. Sedgwick is said to have fought two physicians who attempted the forcible feeding. A small quantity of water was forced down his throat, however.

Herbert Sedgwick, brother of the physician and secretary to the mayor of New Haven, Conn., has informed authorities here that he is sending records from institutions where the doctor is said to have been confined. Mrs. Sedgwick and her daughter were sent to the family home in Forestport, N. Y. Mrs. Sedgwick formerly was a professional singer in Utica, N. Y.

The 18-month-old baby of Dr. Sedgwick, found sleeping in the home after the finding of the bodies, also will be taken to the home of the grandparents.

LESS HARD COAL IS PRODUCED

Slump of 70 Per Cent Due to "Vacations," Report Shows.

Washington—Production of anthracite mines was curtailed approximately 70 per cent during the week ended Sept. 11, the first full week following the "vacation" walkouts of the anthracite miners, it was reported by the Geological Survey. With production shortened also by suspension of work on Labor Day, the total number of cars loaded was only 10,640 as compared with more than 35,000 cars the last week preceding the walkout.

Although the total production of bituminous coal, 10,566,000 tons, also reflected the loss of one day, the daily average production was slightly above that of the preceding week, the total output for which was 11,170,000 tons.

FORD TO BUILD POWER PLANT

Proposed Hudson River Project Would Generate 6,000 H. P.

Washington.—The Ford Motor Co. has asked the Federal Power Commission for a license under the new Waterpower Act, to construct a project on the Hudson River at Troy, N. Y., to supply power for a new manufacturing plant at that place. The proposed project will generate 6,000 horse power and the power plant itself will be built over the Government dam at Troy, for which the company already has purchased land on Green Island.

PICK DETROIT FOR NEXT MEET

Foreign War Vets Also Vote Against Admitting Women.

Washington.—The convention of the Veterans of Foreign Wars voted to hold their 1921 convention in Detroit. The veterans voted against admitting women to their organization, even though they had been regularly enlisted in service and on duty abroad, and likewise refused to admit to the organization any residents of this country who served as combatants in the Allied armies during the World War.

FIVE HELD AS BOOTLEGGERS

Detroiters Detained At Elkhart, Ind., When Liquor Is Discovered.

Elkhart, Ind.—Two policemen became inquisitive about two automobiles which had stopped at a garage here for repairs, and as a result five Detroit persons—four men and a woman—were in jail here, charged with bootlegging. The officers found 158 quarts of bonded Canadian whisky in sacks in the car. The persons arrested, who said they were en route from Detroit to Chicago, were Bert Norton, his wife Helen; Harold Wimmer, Arthur Foss and Harry Woodward.

Female Jury Finds Her Guilty.

Chicago—It took a jury of women to determine the way of justice between two of their sex. The jury decided that when Mrs. Ann Mirmank, of Indiana Harbor publicly spanked Mrs. Anna Malcha, she was not justified, although testimony developed that Mrs. Mirmank's husband was spending too much time at the soda parlor with Mrs. Malcha. Justice Reiland fined Mrs. Mirmank \$10. This was the first woman jury in this district.

Town Taxes Public Weddings.

New Castle, Pa.—The little borough of Bessemer just outside of New Castle has put public weddings in the amusement class. The borough council has passed an ordinance placing a tax on all public weddings and christenings. If 10 are present at the affair, a tax of \$10 is levied; 10 to 20, \$15, and 20 to 30 or more, \$25. The reason for the ordinance is the number of fights and murders that have resulted from such affairs among the foreigners of the borough.

Latest Markets

LIVE STOCK—DETROIT

Cattle—Best heavy steers, \$12@12.50; best handy weight butcher steers, \$9.50@10.50; mixed steers and heifers, \$7.75@9; handy light butchers, \$7@7.50; light butchers, \$6@6.50; best cows, \$9; butcher cows, \$6.50@7.50; cutters, \$5; canners, \$4.50; choice bulls, \$7.50; bologna bulls, \$6@7; stock bulls, \$5@5.50; feeders, \$4@9; stockers, \$6.50@7.50; milkers and springers, \$6@10.

Sheep and Lambs

Best lambs, \$13.50@14; fair lambs, \$10@12.50; light to common lambs, \$5@9; fair to good sheep, \$5.50@6; culls and common, \$2@4.

Hogs

WHAT FORDSON OWNERS SAY

DURING the past year the Fordson Farm Tractor has demonstrated that it is the World's Leading Farm Tractor. Over 150,000 users testify to this fact. The FORDSON is revolutionizing farming.

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READ WHAT A FEW OF OUR OWNERS HAVE TO SAY

CARL BAKER, Marengo.

Fordson Tractor No. 21944. Delivered October 1, 1918.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble.....537 acres
Breaking103 acres
Discd175 acres
Dragged40 acres
Cut 15 acres grain.

REPAIR BILL: Less than \$40.00. Kerosene and oil consumption very reasonable considering the fact that much slough land has been broken.
STATEMENT: I can plow any place that can be plowed. I have never had to leave a piece of ground as yet, in fact, I have plowed where many other tractors have pulled out. I have plowed slough land and rough boggy land and can go anywhere. My tractor seems to run better and has more power today than it did the day I received it.

R. B. COURT, Belvidere.

Fordson Tractor No. 21915. Delivered August 10, 1918.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble.....150 acres
Sod50 acres
Breaking100 acres
Discd85 acres
Dragged80 acres
Drilled70 acres

FUEL EXPENSE: To date 670 gallons kerosene, 9 gallons gasoline, 65 gallons motor oil.
REPAIR EXPENSE: To date less than \$4.00.
STATEMENT: I am very much pleased with my Fordson outfit. It has helped to make farm life easier for me and believe the Fordson way will soon revolutionize work for the American farmer.

H. E. REDPATH, Marengo.

Fordson Tractor No. 12661. Delivered July 25, 1918.
WORK DONE: Plowed stubble130 acres
Sod20 acres
Discd165 acres
Dragged20 acres
REPAIR BILL: Less than \$5.00.
STATEMENT: I would recommend the tractor for any person on the farm. It has plenty of power. I have worked with the outfit in the mud all this spring. To date I have used less than 500 gallons of kerosene and 40 gallons motor oil.

R. E. JOHNSON, Hebron.

Fordson Tractor No. 12662. Delivered July 25, 1918.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble40 acres
Sod35 acres
Breaking15 acres
Discd230 acres
Dragged50 acres
Cut 60 acres of grain.
Used tractor on land roller.
FUEL EXPENSE: Kerosene consumption, 2½ gallons per acre plowing.
STATEMENT: I consider the Fordson Tractor the best tractor on the market. The Fordson way is the only way to farm and farm right.

R. R. DAGUE, Belvidere.

Fordson Tractor No. 21940. Delivered Sept. 9, 1918.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble73 acres
Sod27 acres
Discd200 acres
Dragged100 acres
Drilled45 acres
Pulled road drag 15 miles.
Loaded 12 acres hay with hay loader.
REPAIR EXPENSE: Total \$3.00.
STATEMENT: Due to excessive spring rains I could not have gotten my crops in without my Fordson Tractor. It is an ideal outfit and I consider it the best way to farm.

PAUL BARTH, Harvard.

Fordson Tractor No. 21971. Delivered October 15, 1918.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble126 acres
Sod35 acres
Discd160 acres
Dragged20 acres
Sawed wood.
REPAIR EXPENSE: Less than \$10.00.
STATEMENT: The FORDSON Tractor is just what I need as extra help on the farm. It is doing everything that I could ask.

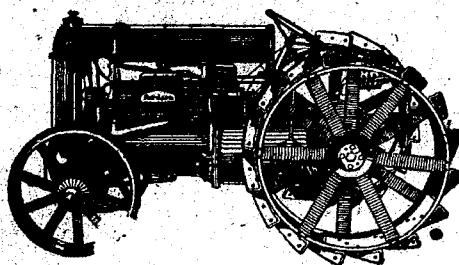
E. C. HAMMOND, Alden.

(for the Township of Alden.)
Fordson Tractor No. 21972. Delivered October 10, 1918.
WORK DONE: Dragged roads. Used the tractor on road oiler, graded roads, plowed out ditches on road side.
REPAIRS: None to amount to anything.
STATEMENT: The tractor does the work of five horses on the grader and four horses on the road drag, besides saving man power and continuous work all day long. Every township should own one.

JAMES O. TUPPER, Woodstock.

Fordson Tractor No. 35094. Delivered March 24, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble45 acres
Discd200 acres
Dragged200 acres
STATEMENT: I would recommend the Fordson for all farm work. No farmer should be without one. More work and better work can be done than with horses. Fuel cost is very low.

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ED. DURKEE, Alden.

Fordson Tractor No. 35089. Delivered May 23d, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble25 acres
Discd75 acres
STATEMENT: I am well satisfied with my Fordson outfit.

DAVID FITCH, Harvard.

Fordson Tractor No. 27596. Delivered March 10, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble35 acres
Sod10 acres
Discd125 acres
Dragged160 acres
Ground feed; sawed wood.
REPAIR EXPENSE: Less than \$10.00.
STATEMENT: The Fordson Tractor is O. K. It is the only real tractor that is made. It is the best hired man I have ever had. Most of the time this spring it has done the work of 10 horses.

JOHN PETERSON, Belvidere.

Fordson Tractor No. 10149. Delivered July 9, 1918.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble30 acres
Sod30 acres
Breaking10 acres
Discd80 acres
Cut 70 acres wheat and oats.
Put up 40 acres hay, using side delivery rake. Ground 934 bushels feed.

REPAIR BILL: Practically nothing.
STATEMENT: I find that the Fordson Tractor is a great success for farm work. In fact it is doing far more than we expected and could be done with any other tractor.

CHAS. STEADMAN, Hebron.

Fordson Tractor No. 35048. Delivered May 13, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble60 acres
Discd60 acres
Used tractor to pull hay loader.
REPAIRS: Spark plugs and minor adjustments cost less than \$5.00.
STATEMENT: I can do more work with my Fordson than can be done with any 8 horses. I have given it a good test on rough ground and it has plenty of power. In fact, I cannot say enough for the Fordson.

J. C. KOBLENTZ, Hebron.

Fordson Tractor No. 27774. Delivered Nov. 23, 1918.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble90 acres
Sod10 acres
Discd150 acres
Sawed large pile of wood.
STATEMENT: I would not take twice what I paid for my Fordson Tractor if I could not get another. I am perfectly satisfied with the work of the tractor and intend to use it more this fall and next spring than I have in the past.

C. J. LEINBACH, Belvidere.

Fordson Tractor No. 34081. Delivered June 14, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, sod6 acres
Discd12 acres
Dragged12 acres
Ground 300 bushels oats, corn, barley and wheat. Used tractor to pull hay loader.
Dragged road 7 miles.
STATEMENT: I have put up hay during extreme hot weather when it would seem impossible to do it with horses. The tractor makes work easier.

L. C. DYER, Alden.

Fordson Tractor No. 21884. Delivered October 15, 1918.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble200 acres
Sod40 acres
Discd300 acres
Dragged and rolled20 acres
REPAIR EXPENSE: Less than \$15.00.
STATEMENT: I have put my heavy tractor in the shed, as it was too slow. I believe the Fordson Tractor is the best tractor built and would not be without one.

WALTER CONRAD, Capron.

Fordson Tractor No. 40917. Delivered May 22, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble10½ acres
Sod8 acres
Discd45 acres
Used tractor on road drag.
STATEMENT: To say that I am well pleased with my Fordson outfit is putting it mildly. I have had considerable experience with other makes of tractor and the fact that they are so slow and heavy has made me pleased with the Fordson all the more. It is the best farm tractor built.

WILL TEEPLE, Harvard.

Fordson Tractor No. 27781. Delivered March 5, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble17 acres
Breaking20 acres
Discd200 acres
Dragged90 acres
Drilled120 acres
STATEMENT: I would rather have my Fordson Tractor than 8 of the best horses for work on my farm. The Fordson tractor is not only a great time saver, but the best tool I have ever owned.

ANDREW JOHNSON, Capron.

Fordson Tractor No. 27773. Delivered April 7, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble55 acres
Discd100 acres
Dragged100 acres
REPAIR EXPENSE: Two spark plugs.
STATEMENT: The Fordson Tractor has cost less to operate than it would cost for feed alone for horses that the tractor replaces. I would not be without a Fordson outfit and I know what it is.

FRED KISSELBURG, Capron.

Fordson Tractor No. 35079. Delivered May 14, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble35 acres
Sod6 acres
Breaking4 acres
Discd35 acres
REPAIR BILL: Less than \$3.00.
STATEMENT: My Fordson Tractor helped out this spring to get my crops in on time. The more I run it the more I like it.

CHARLES KASTRUP, Harvard.

Fordson Tractor No. 12670. Delivered July 25, 1918.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble40 acres
Breaking100 acres
Discd100 acres
Cut 20 acres grain.
REPAIR BILL: Less than \$5.00.
STATEMENT: I am well pleased with the plowing done on my slough land and peaty ground and believe the Fordson Tractor will work anywhere.

ARCHIE HUTCHINSON, Harvard.

Fordson Tractor No. 35093. Delivered April 3, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble60 acres
Sod25 acres
Discd100 acres
REPAIRS: To date none.
STATEMENT: After having experience with other tractors I can say the Fordson Tractor is ideal power on the farm. It has plenty of power. I would recommend it to any tractor buyer.

WM. SLAVIN, Hebron.

Fordson Tractor No. 40269. Delivered May 27, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, sod20 acres
Discd160 acres
Pulled hay loader.
STATEMENT: The Fordson Tractor cannot be beat when it comes to putting up hay and can be done in one-half the time it takes to do the same work with horses. I would recommend a Fordson outfit for every farm.

CHAS. WENDEBERG, Harvard.

Fordson Tractor No. 21685. Delivered October 9, 1918.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble43 acres
Sod25 acres
Discd85 acres
Dragged50 acres
REPAIR EXPENSE: Total less than \$6.00.
STATEMENT: To say that I am satisfied with my Fordson Tractor is putting it mildly. I find that the fuel cost for plowing has been about 31c per acre. This certainly has horses beat a mile.

LUKE OBERWEIS, Marengo.

Fordson Tractor No. 21983. Delivered October 10, 1918.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble150 acres
Sod21½ acres
Breaking4 acres
Discd295 acres
Dragged60 acres
REPAIR EXPENSE: Less than \$18.00.
STATEMENT: My tractor works, very good and has plenty of power for dragging, discing and plowing, in fact, anything I ask it to do. I have plowed where other tractors have failed.

DAN SHIELDS, Hebron.

Fordson Tractor No. 40464. Delivered May 29, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble18 acres
Discd22 acres
Dragged15 acres
STATEMENT: The Fordson Tractor is the best tool I have on the farm. I would recommend it to every farmer.

JAMES HARLING, Garden Prairie.

Fordson Tractor No. 40446. Delivered May 17, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble55 acres
Breaking12 acres
Discd45 acres
Dragged7 acres
REPAIR EXPENSE: Less than \$7.00.
STATEMENT: The Fordson is a wonder. I am certainly well pleased with the outfit, after trying it in our slough where it is very hard to plow.

TOM BARRETT, Harvard.

Fordson Tractor No. 35076. Delivered April 21, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble45 acres
Sod15 acres
Discd35 acres
Dragged30 acres
Used tractor to pull hay loader and helped put up hay.
REPAIR EXPENSE: Less than \$4.00.
STATEMENT: The Fordson Tractor has been a wonderful help to me this spring.

SEAMAN BROTHERS, Hebron.

Fordson Tractor No. 27714. Delivered May 20, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble35 acres
Discd5 acres
REPAIR EXPENSE: None.
STATEMENT: Although we have used our tractor but very little, we are well satisfied with it.

IRWIN BAIRD, Alden.

Fordson Tractor No. 35096. Delivered April 17, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble40 acres
Discd40 acres
STATEMENT: Would not go back to horses for any heavy farm work.

JAMES HIGGINS, Marengo.

Fordson Tractor No. 12669. Delivered July 25, 1918.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble180 acres
Sod20 acres
Discd350 acres
Dragged50 acres
Cut 20 acres grain.
STATEMENT: I believe the Fordson Tractor is the best tractor on the market today.

MERRIMAN BROTHERS, Garden Prairie.

Fordson Tractor No. 21965. Delivered May 22, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble7 acres
Sod14 acres
Breaking3 acres
Discd45 acres
STATEMENT: Our tractor has succeeded in everything we attempted to do.

CHAS. STONE, Belvidere.

Fordson Tractor No. 40307. Delivered March 24, 1919.
WORK DONE: Discd 100 acres.
FUEL USED: 100 gallons kerosene, 3 gallons cylinder oil.
REPAIRS: Less than 50c.
STATEMENT: My Fordson outfit does everything I ask it to do.

J. A. STOUFFER, Caledonia.

Fordson Tractor No. 40455. Delivered May 24, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, sod25 acres
Discd15 acres
Pulled road drag 10 miles.
STATEMENT: My Fordson Tractor helped to break sod and get crops in this spring, which I could not have done otherwise.

HOWARD FITCH, Belvidere.

Fordson Tractor No. 21940. Delivered Sept. 9, 1918.
WORK DONE: Plowed, stubble40 acres
Sod10 acres
Discd150 acres
REPAIR EXPENSE: Fan belt. Lost crank handle.
STATEMENT: Work done by my Fordson Tractor has been very satisfactory. Plowing was done at a cost of 31c per acre for fuel and discing at 14c per acre for fuel. The Fordson Way is the real way to farm.

CHAS. COLE, Alden.

Fordson Tractor No. 27758. Delivered May 15, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed, sod30 acres
Discd30 acres
STATEMENT: I can do as much with my Fordson outfit in one day as can be done with two men and eight horses.

BRUCE L. JONES, Marengo.

Fordson Tractor No. 40888. Delivered May 9, 1919.
WORK DONE: Plowed Stubble20 acres
Sod10 acres
Ground feed.
STATEMENT: I have plowed alfalfa sod that I would not attempt to plow with horses and am well pleased with the work of the tractor.

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